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The New Apportionment Bill.

Under the new Apportionment Bill, which has just been reported by the Committee in both branches of the Legislature, Allegheny county is allowed five members and two senators; Washington and Beaver one senator and three members; Butler, Armstrong and Lawrence one senator; Butler and Lawrence three members; Armstrong; Greene and Fayette one; Westmoreland and Indiana three members; Crawford and Erie one senator and four members; Westmoreland, Fayette and Greene one senator; Mercer, Venango and Warren one; Cambria, Indiana and Jefferson one; Somerset, Bedford and Fulton one senator and two members; Clarion, Forrest, Elk, Cameron and Clearfield one senator; Clarion one member; Clearfield and Elk one; Jefferson and Forrest one.

Union State Convention.

The loyal men of Pennsylvania, comprising the National Union party, will meet in State Convention, in the Hall of the House of Représentatives at Harrisburg, at noon,

ON THURSDAY, APRIL 28TH, 1864.

Each district will be entitled to the same representation it now has in the State Legislature, and the delegates will be chosen at such times and in such manner as shall be directed by the respective county committees.

The State Convention is called for the purpose of placing in nomination an Electoral Ticket, selecting delegates at large to the National Convention of the Union Party, to be held at Baltimore on the 7th of June next, and taking such action as it may deem proper in reference to the approaching Presidential canvass.

The selection of the district delegates from Pennsylvania to the National Convention is left, where it properly belongs, to the people assembled in their county convention; but the different county committees are earnestly requested to adopt such measures as will procure a full attendance at their respective conventions and thereby secure, in the choice of delegates, a full and fair expression of the will of the people.

The committee cannot forbear to congratulate all lovers of liberty and the Union upon the recent triumphs of the good cause in New Hampshire and Connecticut, and to express the hope, shared by all loyal men, that they are only the forerunners of more splendid victories soon to be won in the same cause alike by the bullet and the ballot.

In behalf of the Union State Central Committee:

WAYNE McVEGH. Chairman.
GEO. W. HAMERSLEY, } Secretaries.
W. W. HAYS, }

THE WHEAT CROP.—A letter dated Vincennes Indiana, says: The wheat crop in this region is badly injured by the February freeze, and cannot make more than half a crop, under most favorable circumstances. Some fields look well and some will produce nothing. I think there will be some apples; peach trees are nearly all killed. Some of our farmers are plowing up their wheat and sowing in oats, &c. A letter from Montgomery county, Ky., says: All fall sown grain is considered very much injured. I have examined my own, and for six miles north and south, and for nearly twenty miles east and west, and have seen but one field in the entire region that promises a full yield. All the balance, I know, is injured from one-third to two-thirds. Rye promises a half crop; not much sown. Peaches are generally dead; not more than one live one to every hundred buds. In some localities not one can be found. The trees are probably injured, but of this I am not certain. Apples, my impression is, are not injured seriously, if any. Bees are very nearly all dead.

OIL ON FRENCH CREEK.—We noticed a short time since the receipt of a sample of oil from the Tallman Farm on French Creek, two or three miles above Franklin. The Venango *Spectator* says:

We believe that French Creek is now considered by competent judges to be the best oil territory in the region, outside of Oil Creek. The producing wells are of much less depth than the Oil Creek wells, ranging from 250 to 280 feet. The oil produced is a fine lubricator and worth from $12 to $15 at the wells, being two or three times the value of other oil. A number of wells are now in operation in this borough, and on R. S. McCormick's land, one mile above us, and several are to be put in operation.

A little further up stream, the McCormick & McKissick well, on opposite sides of the creek, will soon commence pumping. The McCormick & McKissick well is famous as among the first in the county, and yet continues to produce oil in large quantities. One well on the McCormick farm will yield four barrels, another three, and the Altona well about three barrels.

The best French Creek wells now in operation are Hanna & Co.'s and the McCormick & McKissick, which we have stated before are on opposite sides of the creek. The Fleming & Warner well, in the neighborhood which we are now speaking of is bored to a depth of 607 feet, and we think has settled the question that flowing wells will be found on French Creek within six months, if parties interested have the same enterprise and perseverance as have been displayed on Oil Creek territory. As the matter now stands, French Creek territory is sufficiently developed to show that oil is to be found there in abundance, that its commercial value is twice or thrice that of other soil.

"MORE BRAINS, LORD!"—The Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial* relates the following:

Rev. Dr. Sunderland, who has recently accepted the pastorship of an American church in Paris, offered his farewell prayer as Chaplain of the Senate a few days ago, and took occasion to make a very unkind dig at the Honorable gentlemen for whom he has been daily interceding at the Throne of grace, four months past. He uttered the following supplication very audibly:

"We pray Thee, O Lord! to give to the counsellors and statesmen of America, more brains! More *brains*, Lord! More BRAINS!" On hearing this very well-timed entreaty, but rather harsh criticism, Mr. Sumner dropped his head upon his breast quite feelingly, Jim Lane rolled his eyes piously, Garrett Davis evinced signs of emotion, and a gentleman in the reporters' gallery uttered an emphatic "Amen!" by way of a second to the Reverend gentleman's motion.

LAKE NAVIGATION.—A Dunkirk dispatch of the 7th, says: Navigation is now open between Dunkirk and Cleveland, Sandusky, Toledo, Detroit and all the upper lake ports. The ice has entirely disappeared, except in the direction of Buffalo, and the propellor Olean left early this morning for that port. Boats will commence their regular trips as soon as possible.

THE State Convention to appoint delegates to the Baltimore National Union Convention will meet in Parkersburg, on the third Wednesday (the 20th) of this month. The Convention to nominate a Union State ticket will meet at Grafton on the first Wednesday (the 3d) of August next.

Rev. The Chicago *Journal* learns from a private source at Washington that General Grant expects to have an army of 200,000 men in the great movement for which he is now preparing in Virginia. He is bound to make a "sure thing" of it, but owing to the deep, tarry mud in that region during this season, he may not be able to get started before the 1st of May. Everything depends upon the weather. Virginia mud is an ugly customer to deal with.

EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS.—The Baltimore *Clipper* says: We have already announced the fact that an exchange of prisoners was being arranged by Butler and Ould, at Fortress Monroe, and we rejoice now to learn that the terms of exchange will enable us to receive at home all our poor fellows now in Dixie, suffering all the horrors of their worse than Calcutta black holes.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN AND THE GOVERNOR OF ADRIANOPLE.—An American missionary was brutally murdered in the Pachalk of Adrianople some two years ago by five brigands. Contrary to all Turkish precedents, Mehemet Kubrisli Pasha pursued these murderers with such energy that three of them were publicly executed in Adrianople, and the other two murdered by private enemies within a few months—so that the whole band were extirpated and other bands fled to other parts of the contrary for fear of meeting with a like fate. In consideration of this summary punishment of the murderers of an American citizen, President Lincoln has sent to the Pasha a magnificent pair of revolvers. They are not only the best of Colt's patent, but are also rare works of art. Months were spent by one of the best artists in New York in ornamenting them with the richest chasing there. They excite the admiration of all who see them. They bear upon the silver mounting the inscription, "The President of the United States to Kubrisli Pasha, Governor of Adrianople."

THE Baptists are about to make a strong raid on Kansas. They have a splendid appropriation of land for colleges and educational purposes, and are about to send out from New York city and neighborhood, some of their strongest and most vigorous men to reside in that State. Mr. Kalloch goes out to take charge of a college; Rev. Frank Remington to settle in Atchison; Rev. Samuel Knapp to settle in Leavenworth.

PARIS ELECTIONS.—There has been an election held in Paris to fill two vacancies in the representation of that city in the National Parliament. The Government candidates were defeated by overwhelming majorities, the members elect being known as original republicans, and as opposed to the Napoleonic dynasty. The nine representatives of Paris, in the same body, are all opposed to the Government, and a great feature in their platform is an opposition to the carrying on of wars at a great distance from home.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

OUR SPECIAL DISPATCHES.

FROM WASHINGTON.

SALE OF 10-40 BONDS.

Appointed Minister to Guatemala.

Change in the Cavalry Bureau.

Reduction of Army Rations.

A Treasonable Speech in the House.

INCREASE OF TARIFF ON WOOL.

Luxuries to be Taxed.

Coffee may be Purchased out of New York.

Currency Bill in the Senate.

Prohibition of Slavery.

Constitutional Amendments Passed Senate.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, April 9.

The Tax Bill Again.

The recommendation of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for a tax of the tenth of one per cent. on sales, will not be adopted by the Ways and Means Committee. So much opposition was manifested to it, that it has not been pressed.

Sales 10-40 Bonds.

The sales of 10-40 bonds, for the last three days, averaged a million and a half daily. The National Bank here sold three hundred thousand to-day.

A New Minister.

Ex-Congressman Kellogg, of Illinois, has been appointed minister to Guatamala.

Three of Them.

Ex-Congressman Edgerton, of Ohio, Somers, of Maine, and McKibben, of California, are all candidates for the Governorship of Montana territory.

The Cavalry Bureau.

Brig. Gen. J. H. Wilson has been relieved of the charge of the Bureau, at the request of Gen. Grant, to take command of a division of cavalry in the field. Col. Kuntz, of the 6th Ohio Cavalry, has been placed temporarily in charge of the Cavalry Bureau. Gen. Wilson has made important improvements in the Bureau since he has been in charge of it, by means of which the Government has been enabled to procure horses at greatly reduced prices.

Army Rations

Probably the Senate Military Committee will report a bill to reduce army rations to the standard existing before the war, and add a corresponding amount to the soldiers pay, which would give them two dollars more per month without increasing the expenses of the government. The Committee have abundant evidence that the present ration is larger than any man can eat, and that the surplus so far as the government or soldiers are concerned, is entirely wasted.

Long, of Ohio, Speaking Treason.

Congressman Long, of Ohio, was to-day led, by his love of notoriety, into making the most treasonable speech of the session. He pronounced the Union lost, never to be restored, declared himself in favor of recognizing the Confederacy, and wound up with "If this be treason, make the most of it." His reckless and foolish rigmarole secured for him the congratulations of Ben Wood, Mallory, M'Dowell, and others of that ilk. General Garfield replied in a powerful speech; the best off-hand effort of the session, denouncing him as a traitor in the most severe terms.

The Missouri Contested Elections.

The reports from the Committee on Elections, in the case of Bruce against Loan, of the seventh district, Missouri, are very voluminous. The majority report, written by Mr. Ganson, and agreed to by four other members of the committee, recommends the adoption of a resolution that neither the sitting member nor the contestant is entitled to the seat. After going into the details of evidence as to the character of the election in each county, the report expresses the opinion that there was no necessity for any force to prevent disloyalists from voting, and says that there is no evidence that any superior officer of the State or Federal government did nothing more than manifest an earnest desire to secure a full and free expression of popular will; that the Judges conducted the elections at all polling places with perfect fairness, and nothing was done by civilians to justify interference by the military, but that a portion of the militia disregarded the injunctions of order No. 45, forbidding soldiers to constitute themselves judges as to the right of voting, and violated their duty as good citizens by interfering by threats, violence and other modes of intimidation, so far as to render the election a nullity; such interference being more injurious because of the disturbed state of the public mind.

The minority report, written by Upson, and signed by Smithers, Smith and Schofield, says that by contestant's own showing, the militia acted, with few exceptions, with most patient forbearance, considering they were dealing with men who had formerly served in the rebel army, and that a large number of the uniformed militia, as a body charged with interference, were entitled to vote themselves. Reference is made to the cases of Trigg *vs.* Preston and of A. J. Clements, in the thirty-seventh Congress, which the minority state to be stronger cases of military interference than that in hand, yet decided differently.

Tariff on Wool—Luxuries to be Taxed.

The report by Mr. Moorhead, from the House Committee on Manufactures, recommends the Committee of Ways and Means to increase the duties on foreign wool as follows:—On that costing eighteen cents or under per pound, a specific duty of three cents per pound, and an ad valorem duty of twenty per cent. Over eighteen, and not over twenty-four, a specific duty of six cents, and an ad valorem of twenty per cent. Over twenty-four a specific duty of nine cents, and an ad valorem of twenty per cent. A duty shall be levied on all valuation at the port or custom house where duty is paid. In case this home valuation which the Committee deem vital is not adopted, they recommend an additional twenty per cent. on duties heretofore enumerated. They urged the necessity of this advance in order to increase the revenue as well as afford the needed protection to home products. They say that the entire amount of duties on wool paid into the Treasury the last fiscal year, were half a million of dollars, and incidentally recommend increased duties on all imported luxuries.

Coffee.

As foreshadowed in this correspondence, efforts were made by western business men for rescinding the order of the Commissary General directing the purchases of coffee and other groceries for the army to be made in New York.

Admiral Dahlgren.

Admiral Dahlgren still remains in the city, and the question is raised whether he will return to his squadron or resume his place at the head of the Ordnance Bureau. No nomination has been made for the Ordnance Bureau. He has made no application to be relieved, nor has the Navy Department manifested its purpose to relieve him from duty with the squadron.

Court Jurisdiction.

The bill introduced in the Senate to-day, by Mr. Morrill, gives the District Courts the same jurisdiction in matters of tort and contract, concerning steamboats on lakes and rivers, as they now have over vessels on the high seas.

National Currency Bill.

Mr. Sherman's bill to provide National Currency, introduced in the Senate to-day, is Stevens' substitute, voted down in the House on Wednesday. Mr. Sherman said the bill was lost in the House through a misunderstanding, and indicated that it would be accepted there now.

Secretary of War Answers.

The following is the answer of the Secretary of War to Mr. Pendleton's resolution with respect to Major L. H. McLean: First, Major L. H. McLean was ordered to Vancouver because it was deemed expedient for the service that he should go there. Second, It has never been the practice of the War Department to furnish copies of charges affecting the capacity or fidelity of its officers, upon which action has been taken. In the present instance it is not deemed compatible with the public interest to make further answer to the latter branch of the inquiry.

Seamen.

A joint resolution passed the Senate to-day repealing the joint resolution said to be the chief stumbling block to the transfer of seamen from the army to the navy.

Confirmations.

The Senate on Thursday made the following confirmations, additional to those heretofore announced: Majors in Adjutant General's Department, Capt. James W. Forsyth, Capt. Robert Des Augur, Capt. Lucas H. Pelouze and Sidney Alden, of Pennsylvania; Major and Judge Advocate in the Eleventh corps, Russel Houston, of Tennessee; Captain and Assistant Quartermaster, Andrew M. Kellog, of Michigan; private A. P Smith, 24th Wisconsin; Lieut. Alfred Lloyd, 10th Kansas; David Waldo, Missouri; Jonathan S. Harvey, Indiana; Thos. P. Wilson, Minnesota. Majors and Paymasters—Charles T. Sherman, of Ohio, and Capt. Frank L. Hays, 115th Illinois. Captains and Commissaries of Subsistence—Oscar B. Kerlin, of Ohio, and Leroy Hawthorne, of Kentucky.

Secret Session.

The Senate Judiciary Committee reported adversely, to-day, on Mr. Grimes' proposition to act upon executive nominations in open session.

Amending the Constitution.

The joint resolution to amend the Constitution to prohibit slavery throughout the United States passed the Senate exactly as reported by the Judiciary Committee. Yeas 38, nays 6. Nays—Davis, Hendricks, McDougal, Powell, Riddle, Saulsbury. Buckalew was sick, Carlisle dodged, and Wright was absent. The resolution is in the language of the ordinance of 1787, with an additional section giving Congress the power to pass laws to carry it into effect. After the yeas and nays had been ordered, Mr. McDougal, in his usual condition, essayed a speech, which somewhat marred the solemnity of the scene.

Important Disclosures Expected.

A resolution calling for information concerning the arrest of Captains Stoddard and Ferguson, Alexandria Quartermasters, passed the Senate to-day, and will probably lead to important disclosures, as it is known that Assistant Secretary of War Watson has been constantly engaged several weeks in investigating their transactions.

Not So.

Despite Garret Davis's repeated public statements, we are enabled to state positively that Yokum, the Cairo negro trader, has not been pardoned.

FROM NEW YORK.

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 8, 1864.

COTTON—Firm. Sales of 1,500 bales at 76c.

FLOUR—Five to 10c higher. Sales 2,300 bbls at $6 75@6 90 for State; $7 45@7 50 for Ohio, and $7 35@7 75 for Southern.

WHEAT—Advanced 1c. Sales of 28,000 bush at $1 69 for Chicago Spring, $1 56 for Milwaukee Club, delivered in June.

CORN—Dull. Sales of 26,000 bush at $1 31@1 32.

PORK—Buoyant at $25.

LARD—Heavy.

WHISKY—Firm at $1 09½@1 11.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, April 8, 1864.

Stocks heavy.

Chicago & R I	127½	Clev & Toledo	154
Cumberland pf'd	82¾	Chicago & Quincy	48
Ill. Cen. Scrip	148¾	Michigan Cent	153½
Mich Southern	115	Harlem	165
M S guaranteed	154	Clev & Pitts	128¾
N. Y. Central	143	T. H. & A	85
Reading	163	Pitts & Ft Wayne	143
Hudson River	160	Toledo & Wabash	74½
Canton	74	Treasuries	111¾
Mo. 6's	73½	1-Year Certificate	99¼
Erie R. R	125⅞	5-20s	112
Galena & Chicago	133½	Gold	169½

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, April 6.

SENATE—Mr. Trumbull, of Illinois, from the Judiciary Committee, reported adversely on the joint resolution to establish a new rule of the Senate requiring executive nominations to be made in open session.

Mr. Sherman, of Ohio, introduced a bill to provide for a national currency, secured by United States stocks, and to provide for the redemption thereof. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Howard, of Michigan, introduced the House bill to secure the title to certain lands in Rock Island, Ill., which caused some debate, but without action, the subject went over at the expiration of the morning hour.

Mr. Hale, of New Hampshire, called up the bill to repeal the first section of the joint resolution of February 24th, 1864, relative to the transfer of persons in the military to the naval service, which passed.

The Senate took up the joint resolution amending the Constitution. Mr. Sumner, of Mass., addressed the Senate at length.

HOUSE.—Mr. Ganson, of N. Y., made a report from the Committee on Elections, that neither Mr. Loan, the sitting member, nor Mr. Bruce, the contestant, were entitled to a seat from the seventh congressional district of Missouri.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill to erect a penitentiary, jail and house of correction in the District of Columbia. Mr. Patterson, of New Hampshire, replied to the charge made by Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, that he (Patterson) had voted $135,000 for extending the Charleston navy yard, an extravagant appropriation, and reported to be a swindle, as it turned out to be. He said it was hardly courteous to make such a charge, and proceeded to justify his vote. He made the general remark that if any man charged him with wilfully voting for a corruption fund, or for a swindle, he would hurl back the infamous charge with scorn and contempt into his teeth.

Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, said the gentleman yesterday made an insinuation against him, and he stood by what he said on this occasion—that the appropriation partook of the character of a swindle. He did not accuse Mr. Patterson of voting for a corruption fund, but for what turned out to be a swindle, not intending any reflection on any man in the House.

Mr. Patterson, in view of this explanation, exhonorated the gentleman.

Messrs. Morrell and Kasson briefly showed that the appropriation was judicious.

The bill was recommitted, with instructions to inquire into the expediency of reporting an appropriation for a house of correction only.

FROM HARRISBURG.

Western Pennsylvania Hospital.

Twenty-Second of August Fixed for Vote on Constitutional Amendments.

Special Session of the Legislature.

Removal of the Capital.

BANK OF PITTSBURGH.

SITES FOR SCHOOL HOUSES.

The Pittsburgh Bridge Company.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

HARRISBURG, APRIL 8, 1864.

On motion of Mr. Herron, the House, passed a supplement relative to the Western Hospital.

Also, a bill fixing the second day of August for the people to vote on the constitutional amendments.

The House passed a resolution naming the 20th of August for a special session of the Legislature.

James Miller, of Allegheny city, has been appointed Notary Public for that city, vice, A. Schroyer, declined.

The independent bounty act for Butler county passed the House.

The Senate passed to the third reading, by a vote of 19 to 8, the resolutions favorable to the removal of the seat of government from Harrisburg to Philadelphia.

An act extending the Charter of the Bank of Pittsburgh.

An act relative to sites for school houses in Allegheny county.

Supplement to the act incorporating the Pittsburgh Bridge Company.

FROM RICHMOND.

The Rebel Army Daily Augmenting.

Planing the Spring Campaign.

The Conscription Merciless.

The Food Question the Great Problem.

A party of refugees arrived at Washington on Friday, bringing late intelligence from Richmond. They report daily augmentations to Lee's army by large numbers of conscripts from various portions of the Confederacy. The rebels are increasing their armies very quietly, but effectively and rapidly, and they expect to start Lee out on the Spring campaign with not less than eighty or ninety thousand men, without weakening the other armies in the field.

The conscription is merciless in the extreme. Its effects on the people are studiously concealed, the newspapers being prohibited from any expression in regard to it. The conscripted troops arriving at Richmond are mostly armed and organized, and are sent forward to the Rapidan without delay.

The reports that the Richmond and Fredericksburg Railroad had been taken up by the rebels are pronounced untrue. It is the general understanding among the citizens of Richmond that the rebel leaders have concluded on a defensive line of operations this Spring. Misery and want everywhere in Dixie continue to prevail, and the great problem of the food question is to eke out present supplies until vegetables can be raised.

FROM CALIFORNIA.

Late San Francisco papers state that the Legislature adjourned finally at 12 o'clock on the 3d inst.

The only act passed of interest outside of California is one whereby the State engages to pay the interest on a million and a half of the Central Pacific Railroad Company's bonds for twenty years. In approving this act the Governor expressed the belief that any future legislature will have the power to repeal it.

The bill submitting to a vote of the people a proposition to issue $500,000 of State bonds to the Western Pacific Railroad Company, and $1,500,000 to the Central Pacific Company, was vetoed on the ground of unconstitutionality. Under another bill the Central Company had the interest on $1,500,000 of its bonds paid by the State, for twenty years.

The steamer John L. Stephens sailed for the Northwestern ports of Mexico, with merchandise and mining machinery, valued at one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. This is one of the recent large ocean steamers now plying between San Franoisco and Mexico, each making monthly trips. Business generally is very dull. The last bill passed by the late Legislature was one donating $250 per month during the ensuing five years to Capt. Sutter, the California pioneer.

Late Southern News.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Richmond papers of the 28th report that Governor Vance, of North Carolina, was addressing the troops in General Lee's army. The *Examiner* is indignant because the regiments which had been recruited by John Morgan had been taken from him and given to Gen. Grigsby, a pet of Jeff. Davis', leaving the former with only five hundred men.

A letter from Mobile reports that eight Federal vessels were still lying off Fort Powell, and ten off Fort Morgan.

There is no news of importance contained in the papers.

Philadelphia Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, April 8.

FLOUR—There is more demand for flour, but the stringent rates demanded by holders restrict operations. Sales of 2,000 bbls at $6 25 for superfine; $6 75 for extra; 7@7 50 for family, and 9 25 for fancy.

No change in rye flour or corn meal.

WHEAT—There is less wheat offered, and market firm. Sales of good and prime red at $1 72@1 75; white at 1 85@1 95.

RYE—Commands $1 30@1 35.

CORN—In good request at $1 23 for yellow, but there is very little here.

OATS—Firm at 88@90c.

COTTON—Firm at 76@76½ for middling.

CLOVER SEED—Sells at $7 37½@7 50.

PETROLEUM—Unsettled; sales of crude at 33@34c; refined at 49@51c, and free for 60c.

WHISKY—Unsettled; sales of barrels at $1 10@1 13, and drudge at $1 05@1 10, now held higher.

FRENCH SPOLIATION BILL.—The bill introduced yesterday, by Senator Sumner, provides that satisfaction shall be made, in the sum of $5,000,000, to such citizens of the United States, or their legal representatives as had valid claims to indemnity upon the French Government, arising from illegal captures, detentions, seizures, condemnations, and confiscations, prior to the ratification of the convention between the United States and France, on the thirtieth of September, 1800, provided that the provisions of the act shall not extend to such claims as were embraced in the convention between the United States and France, on the 30th of April, 1803; nor to such claims as were allowed and paid in whole or in part, under the treaty between the United States and Spain, on the 22d February, 1819; nor to such claims as were allowed, in whole or in part, under the treaty between the United States and Spain, on the 4th of July, 1831. Claims must be presented within three years. Commissioners must meet on or before the first Monday of October, 1864. Secretary of State must get information from abroad bearing on the subject matter of the claims. Awards to be *pro rata.* The sum of $5,000,000 to be in full of all claims recited in this act. The amount paid is to be considered as liquidated damages. The presentation of a claim is to be taken as a release of the United States from liability for further amount than shall be finally allowed.

SINGULAR.—The British steamer Goerge Olympus, of London, touched at Delaware City last Monday, and took in eighteen tons of coal. The Captain represented that he was on the way from Nassau to New York, in ballast. There were several passengers on board, some of whom had Charleston papers of the 4th of March, (one of which, the *Mercury*, we have seen), and some of them boast that they had run the blockade as high as fifteen times. They had plenty of gold and silver, as well as greenbacks, which they triumphantly displayed. Seven or eight of these passengers proceeded by the Reybold to Philadelphia. The Government officers should look out for this vessel, and ascertain her true character, and the character of the crew and passengers. The latter, at any rate, should be kept under strict surveillance. The paper referred to was printed on half sheet, containing very little news, and few advertisements.—*Washington (Del.) Republican, 4th inst.*

MEDICAL CARD,
F. X. DeROLETTE, M. D.
From the Medical Faculty of Paris, France, Intern (Resident Physician) of HOTEL DIEU, CHARITY HOSPITALS, &
DATE OF DIPLOMA, 1828.
The following specialities attended:
1st. Diseases of the respiratory organs, as Bronchitis, Asthma, &c.
2d. Diseases peculiar to Ladies, result of debility, nervousness, neuralgia and sick headache, (hemierania) attended with complete success, &c.
3d. Diseases peculiar to old and young men.
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CITY INTELLIGENCE.

Presentment of the Grand Jury.

The Grand Jury for the March term brought their labors to a close yesterday, after a session of ten days, during which they passed upon upwards of two hundred bills of indictment. Previous to their discharge, the Jury made a presentment, of which the following is a synopsis:

The jury desired to call the attention of the Court, and through it the attention of the citizens—especially the County Commissioners and and the members of the Legislature—to certain matters, which if attended to will serve to lessen crime, lighten taxation, and facilitate the officers of the law in the discharge of their duties. The first matter referred to is insufficient accommodations for presecutors and witnitnesses before the Grand Jury, and they recommended that a room be fitted up for their convenience. They also complain of the nonattendance of presecuting witnesses, and recommend that some remedy for the evil be adopted. The compensation of grand jurors is deemed insufficient, and it is recommended that the Legislature pass an act increasing the same in order that the jurors may defray all reasonable expenses while attending to the public business.

The extensive scale on which the sale of intoxicating liquor is carried on is next alluded to, and it is asserted that nine-tenths of the inmates of the jail were brought there, directly or indirectly, through its influence. Constables are recommended to return all parties who sell liquor to drunkards, which they have hitherto neglected to do. The jail was visited by the jury, and they found it to be in as good condition as the means afforded to the Sheriff and Commissioners will permit; but it is very much in need of repair, and the Commissioners are urged to put it in as good condition as possible. Several improvements are mentioned, but they have been recommended by other juries, and have been published. The jury recommend the erection of a workhouse for the employment of vagrants, drunkards and disorderly persons. which recommendation, we believe, has been made by twenty grand juries within the past ten years.

The presentment concludes with a very complimentary notice of the invaluable services rendered by District Attorney Kirkpatrick and Deputy John W. Riddell, Esq.

Western Pennsylvania University.

This favorite educational institution was never in a more prosperous condition than at present, and it is with pleasure we record the fact. At a recent meeting of the Trustees, Rev. R. E. Williams, an accomplished classical scholar, was elected Professor of the Latin Language and Literature, and, we are informed, will prove an invaluable acquisition to the Faculty of the University. Professor Griggs will, as heretofore, continue to fill the chair of Greek Language and Literature, and one more qualified for the trust it would be difficult to find anywhere. The French and German classes are under the charge of Professors Danse and Leonhart, gentlemen of experience and admirably qualified to impart instruction in the branches named. The mathematical department, one of the most important features of every college, is in the hands of a Professor competent to discharge the duties of the same, while the Preparatory Department will be in charge of a gentleman remarkable for his fitness for the position.

The Department of Natural Sciences, in the hands of Professor Barker, acknowledged to have no superior in this specific branch of education, is, perhaps, the most attractive department of the College. A large room on the first floor of the buildings has been fitted up in a neat and tasteful manner, under direction of Prof. Barker, in which lectures on Natural Science will be delivered to the several classes. Prof. Barker will commence his chemical lectures on the 14th, and he will also lecture on Geology, Mineralogy and Botany. Persons not attached to the University will be admitted to these lectures (thirty in the course) upon the payment of a fee of ten dollars.

The University is presided over by Rev. Geo. Woods, L.L.D., a gentleman thoroughly qualified for such an important trust. He gives to it his undivided attention, and by his watchfulness over the interests of the students, has added materially to the prosperity of the institution. The morals of the students are carefully looked after, and close application to their studies is imperatively enjoined. By the system adopted by the Faculty, each student receives like attention, and the consequence is there is every inducement for the student to apply himself. We commend the University to the people of Western Pennsylvania, and in fact to people everywhere, who desire to have their sons receive a thorough education.

Allegheny Ladies' Aid Society.

The Ladies of the Allegheny Ladies' Aid Society for sick and wounded soldiers, gratefully acknowledge a donation of $100 from the Columbia Oil Company, and $251 70 from the scholars of Miss H. E. Davis's school, proceeds of a Fair held by them. The President of this Society has received a letter from Mrs. Gen. Buford, Headquarters, Arkansas, March 25th, who acknowledges the reception of a box of clothing, books, etc., for the use of suffering refugees. We copy her own words, (at the same time tendering the thanks of the Society for the generous attention paid to their appeal for these articles); "I wish I had time to enlarge on individual cases relieved by your boxes; I am not quite through with them yet. I think I mentioned in my last how universal had been the use to which the small remnants of cotton cloth had been put, from the first necessities of an infant to quite good-sized shirts for boys. The demand for them has been greater than for any one thing.

"To-day I had the pleasure of sending some of the Bibles and Testaments to the prison. I sent them by a faithful young officer who is interested in their behalf. This evening I gave one of the oldest and most faithful of the contrabands one of the largest Bibles and some of the other books for his little colony of eighteen persons that he is going to try to support. Yesterday I called to see a refugee family, superior in intellect to most of them. They were nearly all, seven in number, sick and very poor. The father was confined to his bed, but had one of your Bibles lying beside him, and said; 'I have read nearly all the book of Job this morning, and my trials are not so great as his.' I sent to Island No. 63, where General Bufort sent a small colony to try the experiment of making them self-supporting, some Bibles, Prayer books and mission service. They are doing wonderfully well—have been there about four months; buy their own rations; axes etc.; are building themselves houses and a school house, and have cut and sold wood for an amount exceeding $2,000. Since coming here General Bufort has obtained a complete outfit for a Soldiers' Home. Helena has few large buildings, He had to take a church that was abandoned for the sleeping room, and two small cottages for the superintendents and officers—a small house for the dining room and kitchen—but so generously has it been supplied that they are made very comfortable, and have had at one time 300. Before this soldiers arriving here suffered exceedingly. We have also a refugee house and a contraband hospital, and this week expect to open an orphan asylum, under the care of the Friends Association of Indiana. Four Quakers, a man and his wife, an assistant and school teacher have volunteered for this noble charity, and are to be here in a day or two. The orphans are numerous and very destitute. The object is to fit them for capable servants, and as soon as they are able to work, furnish them with homes."

Another letter has been received in acknowledgment for the Bibles for rebel prisoners at Rock Island, "contributed by many from our various churches for that purpose." The writer "desires her earnest thanks to the unknown friends who promptly replied to her call." Several Bibles, intended for particular individuals, were sent at once to their destination, and the rest have since been distributed. Sickness in the family of the lady by whom this was accomplished, prevented her sending a detailed account of the reception and use of the Bibles, but a return is certain for bread cast upon the waters.

The Society desires to send to Mrs. General Bufort another box, and will again esteem it a favor to receive second-hand clothing, school books, dry goods, portable fruit or vegetables of any kind, at Mr. R. H. Davis' office, corner Federal street and South Common, (same entrance Dabbs' Photograph rooms,) any time between this and next Thursday.

Killed on the Railroad.—Alderman Donaldson yesterday evening held an inquest on the body of a soldier, killed on the line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, near Walls' station. The body was found on the right bank, and from the position in which it lay, it is supposed deceased either fell or jumped from a westward bound train. His head was nearly buried in the side of the bank, and his neck was dislocated. From a paper found upon his person, his name is thought to be John Nelson, and lately a resident of Temperanceville. The sum of $106.50 was found on him. The jury found a verdict of accidental death. The body was brought into the city, and left at Devore's coffin rooms, Grant street, for identification and recovery by his friends.

Justice Quickly Meted Out.—The Mayor's police yesterday morning arrested a young man named Christian Vierhart, a brakeman on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway, charged with picking the pocket of Mr. Jas. C. Williams, a passenger on the cars. On searching Vierhart, Mr. Williams' pocket book was found on his person. The accused was committed to jail for trial, a true bill was found against him by the grand jury, and in the afternoon he was tried, convicted and remanded for sentence.

Criminal Court Proceedings.—The case of Mary Rielly, charged with larceny, was resumed yesterday morning. The case went to the jury about noon, but no verdict had been rendered at adjournment. Wm. Prince and Wm. Cook, charged with larceny, were were acquitted. Eliza Pearsoll was acquitted of keeping a disorderly house. Christian Vierhart was convicted of larceny, and remanded for sentence.

Amusements.—Edwin Adams will appear in a favorite character this evening, at the theatre. The Woodroffe Bohemian Troupe will give an afternoon entertainment, and also one in the evening, at Masonic Hall. The Panorama of the War will be exhibited this afternoon and in the evening for the last time, at Concert Hall.

Taken Over.—Mary Keefe, sentenced to the Penitentiary for one year, for larceny, was taken over to that institution yesterday.

Newcastle and Franklin Railroad.

Books will be open for subscriptions to the stock of the Newcastle and Franklin Railroad, on Wednesday, April 27th, at Pittsburgh, Newcastle, Franklin and Mercer. The engineers will commence the survey of the route immediately. Either by its own track, or in connection with the Jamestown and Franklin, it will form the shortest and best route between the oil region and Pittsburgh. It will aid in developing a country rich in coal and mineral resources, and hitherto almost unknown. In view of the great advantages of the Road to Pittsburgh, Newcastle, Mercer, and all the territory along the route, we look for liberal subscriptions to the stock.

The Country Moving.—We find in the Butler county papers the proceedings of a public meeting held in Butler, to effect an organization to co-operate with and furnish contributions to the Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair. The Central Committee is composed of Wm. Campbell, Chairman; J. N. Purviance, I. J. Cummings, James Campbell, H C. Heineman and Ebenezer McJunkin. W. I. Young, was chosen Secretary, and I. J. Cummings, Treasurer of the Central Committee. Prominent citizens in the forty-two townships of the county were appointed chairmen of the committees of their respective districts. The people of Butler have taken hold of the matter in the proper spirit, and their action is worthy of imitation by all the counties in Western Pennsylvania.

Venango Aroused.—A meeting of the citizens of Franklin and vicinity, Venango county, has been called for Friday evening, April 15th, at the Court House "to take measures to send contributions to the Pittsburgh Fair, to be held in June next, in aid of the U. S. Saniary Commission. The object is a holy one, and should receive the hearty co-operation of every man, woman and child in the community."

Passenger Railways for Sale.—A committee of stockholders advertise for sale the Oakland and the Pittsburgh and Minersville Railways. These roads have proved, from some reason, or other, an unprofitabe investment. The Oakland road, we are of opinion, could be made a paying investment. Bids will be received for both or either of the above roads until May 1st.

Union Executive Committee.—A meeting of the Union Executive Committee of Allegheny co. will be held on Thursday, April 14th, at the office of Marshall & Brown, 116 Fifth street. We presume the object is to fix the date for holding the county nominating convention.

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If the war of the Rebellion is the most wonderful in modern times, the philanthropy of the people, as evinced by their contributions to objects incident to it, is the great marvel of the war. It is a fact almost amazing, that the people have given so much and so freely, and are still willing to give more, and keep on giving. It is difficult to determine which is the most astonishing, the willingness or the capacity to give. As we have already remarked, the resources and the disposition seem to be almost exhaustless. A gentleman by the name of HEARTLY has given to the great Fair in New York, several thousand copies of a small book, in which are gathered together the contributions during the war, the total of which is one of the most wonderful exhibits of practical philanthropy ever made. Indeed it is believed that it is without a parallel. The work begins with the war, and describes the condition of the nation—its embarrassments, inexperience, reverses, and many difficulties; and traces the struggle to the present hopeful time, gathering as it goes from official and other sources, "a full and faithful narrative of all the contributions offered by the people to the support of their armies, and the solace of the sufferers by the war." We learn from it that the total contributions from states, counties and towns, for the aid and relief of soldiers and their families, has amounted to over one hundred and eighty millions of dollars ($187,209,608 62); that the contributions for the care and comfort of soldiers, by associations and individuals, has amounted to over twenty-four millions (24,044,865 96); that the contributions at the same time for sufferers abroad has been $380,140 74; and that the contributions for freedmen, sufferers by the riot of July, and white refugees, have been $639,644 13; making a grand total, exclusive of the expenditures of the Government, of more than two hundred millions of dollars ($212,374,259 49).

Without pausing to inquire into the reasons of this unequaled philanthropy, which for all time will be an unfading glory of the Northern people, the first thing that occurs to us is the question, will a people that have done so much and gone so far, cease or tire before the struggle ends in a complete triumph? The facts brought out in this little book will, we apprehend, be found to have an intimate relation to the spirit and purpose to keep straight on, and to fight through the war, manifested on every occasion. It is not difficult in the philosophic mind to trace this connection, or to find ground for confidence for the belief that whatever temporary reverses may be in store, ultimate success is certain.

The Question of Postponement.

As a spectator, we have been not a little amused at the discussion that has been going on for some time, about postponing the Union Presidential Convention. "Postpone" says this journal: "Postpone" says that: "Postpone" echoe others: for, say they all, the canvass will be too long, agitation about candidates will be hurtful, let us whip the rebels first. Having said this, to practically illustrate how much they desire quiet, and how much they are opposed to discussion, they straightway fall to arguing in favor of this and against that candidate, until they get themselves in a state quite as unhappy as one could wish. It has seemed to us that those journals and those politicians that want the convention postponed, because they would avoid discussion, could not do a more consistent thing than to cease agitation themselves; at all events, the condition precedent should be an agreement, that if the Convention is postponed all discussion about candidates shall also be postponed. We think this might prove a good arrangement, if it could only be brought about. Will those in favor of postponing agree to this? If they will not, what would be gained? If this is not the spirit and purpose, a postponement of the Convention would be but a prolongation of the canvass for candidates, than which we can imagine nothing less to be desired.

The Monroe Doctrine in the Senate.

It is believed that the Senate will speedily ratify the action of the House reaffirming the Monroe doctrine, in its application to the Mexican question. Concerning the effect, there is much speculation, the opinion being freely expressed that the action, for all practical results, comes too late. There are those who, though supporters of the doctrine of non-interference in the affairs of this continent by the governments of the old world, nevertheless question the expediency of the action of Congress in passing the resolution of reaffirmation. MR. THURLOW WEED, who professes particular intimacy with the French Emperor, is said to entertain the opinion that Congress has done a very unwise thing in passing the anti-monarchy resolution. Though well enough in itself, he contends the action is untimely and unwise. We are not informed what, in the estimation of MR. WEED, would be wise, or what would be the proper time for action. Has that time passed, or is it yet to come?

WE are indebted to SPRINGER HARBAUGH, Esq., for a copy of the proceedings of the First and Second Mortgage Bondholders of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Company, held in New York on Thursday last. The financial programme adopted will be found, in brief, on our fourth page. The rapid rise in the stock of this company has been, to some degree, attributed to the arrangements which have been made at this meeting.

RECEIPTS OF THE NEW YORK FAIR.—The entire receipts from all sources up to the evening of the third day of the Metropolitan Fair, amounted to four hundred thousand dollars. The receipts on one day from the sale of tickets and goods alone were over $77,608. The interest is increasing.

Bridging the Ohio.

An important measure is now pending before Congress to build bridges over the Ohio river at any point above the mouth of the Big Sandy where it enters the Ohio. An interesting debate occurred in the House on the subject, on Tuesday last. Many arguments were adduced in favor of and against the project. Among the reasons assigned for their construction, it is contended that these bridges are of great military as well as of commercial importance to the General Government and those sections of the Union where it is proposed to locate them; that such structures are demanded by the necessities of the railroads of Illinois and Indiana to connect with other roads meeting them on the banks of the Ohio through the State of Kentucky; that the military operations in Tennessee and Kentucky, and also the supplies for the armies operating in Tennessee and Northern Alabama have been greatly embarrassed for the want of these bridges, while the future movements of those armies in their progress toward the gulf would be greatly facilitated by their construction; that the government, during the past two years, have expended millions of dollars at this point in conveying their troops, munitions of war and other materials over the Ohio by the present ferry; and that the railroads themselves which it is designed to connect by those bridges, are ready to proceed to their construction without cost to the government.

The bill has encountered a good deal of opposition from members of Congress who represent the districts upon the shores of the stream where the structures are contemplated. It is alleged that the construction of these bridges will prove a serious obstruction to free navigation of the Ohio river. Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, declared that the building of a similar bridge over the Mississippi, at Rock Island, had substantially destroyed the navigation of that river above the bridge. This view of the subject was enforced by our own representative, Gen. MOORHEAD. He declared that the proposed bridges would be an obstruction to the free navigation of the Ohio, and we find him voting in the affirmative to lay the whole matter on the table, which would virtually have killed it.

In answer to these objections, is it asserted that obstructions to the river exist there now by the falls of the Ohio; boats can only pass over those falls at certain stages of the water, and by certain chutes indicated in the bill. The bill provides that draws shall be built at the head of each one of those chutes, and the bridges will indicate the stage of the water over them; so that the building of the bridges will facilitate the navigation of the falls of the Ohio, instead of being an obstruction.

From the published proceedings we are led to infer that the project is regarded with a good deal of favor in the House. The benefits which would inure to the general government we suppose, is a paramount consideration with many of the members.

The bill was recommitted to the Committee on Roads and Canals. And we learn through private sources from Washington that it will be reported again, with the second section stricken out. This second section provides for the building of a bridge below the Ohio Falls.

Removal of the Capital.

The State Senate yesterday, by a vote of nineteen to eight, passed to a third reading the resolution removing the Capital to Philadelphia. We knew that the subject had been agitated in certain quarters, but we did not suppose it had been discussed so fully as to convey to either branch of the Legislature the real feeling of the State. The question is one that should not be hastily acted on, and we cannot believe that the vote in the Senate is indicative of a settled purpose, even in that body, to remove the Capital. Let us have more deliberation. If there exist reasons why the Capital should be removed to Philadelphia, probably those who vote aye will know better what they are than the people at large.

MR. LINCOLN'S ONE TERM PLEDGE.—It is asserted that President LINCOLN stands commited to the one term principle. The only thing he is believed to have said that can be construed into a pledge is contained in his inaugural address. Speaking of his predecessors and their administration of the Government, he said: "I now enter upon the same task for the brief constitutional term of four years under great and peculiar difficulties." Towards the close of the address he said that the people had given their public servants but little power for mischief, and had with equal wisdom "provided for the return of that little to their own hands at very short intervals;" and that while the people retain their virtue and vigilance no Administration "can very seriously injure the Government in the short short space of four years."

The Coal Supply.

The *Miner's Journal* estimates that the consumers of coal will be taxed at least three millions of dollars this year in consequence of the lawless violence which prevailed in the Pennsylvania coal region last summer, and attributes the difficulties among the workmen, which suspended work at the mines, entirely to the copperhead resistance to the draft. It says;

"All this violence is directly traceable to the political copperhead leaders and scoundrels who have kept the masses in a constant state of excitement by the infamous falsehoods they have promulgated against the government, and palliating and sanctioning the scenes of violence which have disgraced some parts of our country, and nearly destroyed the value of property in these districts."

The great falling off in this supply of coal producers higher prices at the mines, and speculators add two or three hundred per cent. to the legitimate rise. Nevertheless, as work is now fully resumed, and about one hundred thousand tons find their way to market weekly, it is probable that the extreme prices will fall to a more reasonable standard soon after the full resumption of canal navigation.

Military Operations in the Month of May.

The New York *Times* concludes a review of the last month of seeming inaction, but really of stupendous preparation, by remarking that the month of May will, in all probability, witness battles of a greater magnitude than have yet been known to the war. It is possible that even the very Waterloo of the struggle may then be fought At all events, we may rely upon it, that a collision between the two great armies in Virginia, under Grant and Lee, the ablest commanders of the war, will surely take place; that Richmond will be the stake of the contest, and that both sides will fight with desperate energy. Whether there will be any great odds in our favor, at the great encounter, we will not undertake to say, in the lack of any definite knowledge concerning the strength of Lee's army. But one thing is certain, if we are defeated it will only be the signal for a new draft, and the provocation to a more tremendous putting forth of strength than ever—whereas, if the rebels are overwhelmed, they can never again rally in so strong array, for their last conscription was universal, and they have drawn upon their resources to the utmost possibility. We may be defeated, and yet fight again with renewed strength. If they are defeated, they may indeed make a new stand, and perhaps again and again; but it must be, each time, with reduced force, and the end can only be absolute helplessness. Such are the unequal conditions of the coming struggle. No loyal man can escape anxiety concerning its immediate vicissitudes, but the grand sequel may be anticipated with firmer confidence than ever.

EUROPEON VIEW OF THE PRESIDENCY.—A distinguished American residing in Europe writes as follows to a friend in Washington: "In Europe the Americans are almost unanimous for Mr. Lincoln for a second term. He has done so well—been so honest and faithful—that it would not be expedient to drop him now. It would, I think, have a bad effect upon American securities, of which so many millions are being sent here. It is a fault of our system that we change officers so often; and when one has been in Europe he cannot but see it in this light. The Emancipation Proclamation disarmed all opposition in Europe. It was astonishing what influence it had, and what friends it made for us."

General Intelligence.

A letter from Rome states that a very interesting discovery has been just made in continuing the excavations in the narthex of the old Basilica of San Clemente—a painting, representing our Saviour seated and in the act of giving the benediction to two personages kneeling before him, presented by angels. The outstretched hand of the Saviour is placed according to the Greek form, *i. e.*, the thumb and third digit united. The head is surrounded by a deep *nimbus*; on either side are full length figures of St. Clement and St. Andrew, with their names, and a long inscription underneath. It is very possible that this fresco may be older than the other hither discovered in the narthex of the Bascilica, possibly dating from the middle of the eleventh century.

The Ceylon *Times*, of Feb. 7, tells of the following disaster to a Government immigration vessel, on the ferry between Paumben and the coast: "The Audy Letchemy, a bark of 150 tons, was bound from Vengalle to Paumben, having on board one hundred coolies and a crew numbering fourteen. At seven o'clock on the morning of the 5th inst, the tindall noticed a large waterspout about ten miles to the northeast, but as he was steering due northwest, its presence did not occasion him any uneasiness, and he went below. There was a good breeze blowing at the time, and there had been a little rain in the early morning, confining the coolies to the hold. It seems that shortly before eight o'clock the waterspout was seen rapidly approaching the vessel, and the tindall accordingly put her about to try and avoid it. However, all his efforts proved fruitless; the spout came nearer, and from the whirling motion at its base lifted the doomed ship about three feet out of the water, and instantly capsized her. All this had occurred so rapidly that the result was wholly unexpected on board, and most of the coolies were still below. Out of one hundred and twenty only seven escaped, by holding on to floating pieces of timber until two o'clock in the afternoon, when a passing ship picked them up. One of the crew was also drowned. The vessel became a total wreck, and sank in thirty-one feet of water.

Late returns from the War Department give the number of volunteer regiments in the army, from the different States of the Union, as 600, independent of the regular army, with an actual force engaged at present of 590,000, leaving 120,000 killed, died from disease contracted while in the service, prisoners of war, sick and wounded in hospitals, on furlough and deserters. Among the regiments of volunteer cavalry which have particularly distinguished themselves in this war, are the 1st Vermont, the 5th Massachusetts, the 6th New York, the 5th New Jersey, the 12th Pennsylvania, the 4th Ohio, Boards' Kentucky cavalry, the 2d Indiana, the 8th and 12th as well as the 2d Illinois, the 2d Wisconsin and the 4th Missouri, together with the 2d Iowa. There are scores of other cavalry regiments who also deserve mention, but were we to particularize we could fill this paper twice over with accounts of individual bravery of officers and men from regiments of cavalry hailing from every State and section of State in the Union.

The simple, unpretending habits of General Grant, and his unaffected, winning ways among the soldiers, have already made him the idol of the Army of the Potomac. Those veterans are good judges of men, and their judgment in favor of General Grant satisfies us that, as their director in battle, they will carry him from victory to victory into Richmond.

A Boston paper publishes an obituary notice which ends thus: "An orphan child, and then a cabin-boy, he came to be a captain on the sea, an adviser on the street, and a peer with the best wherever he was seen."

The rebel Gen. Bufford has issued an address to the soldiers engaged in the fight at Paducah, songratulating them on their success, and announcing his intention of permanently staying in Western Kentucky. He puts the rebel losses in the fight at Paducah at ten killed and forty wounded. Notwithstanding this assurance, it is reported that Forrest is maneuvering to get out of Kentucky by dividing his forces into small detachments and slipping them off by by-ways.

A fire occurred at Alton, Illinois, on Wednesday night, consuming the warehouses on the levee occupied by Simpson & Kitchnm, and filled with hay and other produce. The adjoining buildings occupied by Tapping Bros. & Co.'s hardware store, and Calvin & Wissore's Auction store, was also destroyed. The loss is about one hundred thousand dollars, and was insured for sixty thousand dollars.

The *Democrat's* Alexandria, Louisiana, dispatch says that a large amonnt of cotton is being captured along Red river. It is reported that several naval officers were captured while confiscating cotton.

Admiral Porter has issued a circular to captains and owners of steamboats in the employ of the rebel government as transports, that if they will deliver their boats to him he will afford them every opportunity to recover their property, while if they burn them they will be a total loss.

Tobacco and Wheat Crops in Kentucky.

An intelligent farmer of McLean county, Ky., writes to the Cincinnati *Enquirer* despondingly of the prospective crops. He says that, having made diligent inquiry of those who have cast their wheat crop, he is prepared to report that very many farmers will make a complete failure, but few will make half a crop, and he has not seen any one who thinks he will make an average crop; so, as regards the wheat crop, he considers it a failure, and the good people of that region will have to draw their supplies from some more favored country.

He adds that it is a common practice, in almost all countries where tobacco is cultivated, to follow that crop with wheat, which is generally sown broadcast, and followed by the harrow, or, rather, *scratched* in—a plan which will succeed in some rare seasons, but in general is a lazy mode, or short-cut for lazy farmers. Now, every crop of wheat which was put in in that way is a total failure, and the only moderate crops we have heard of are those which were put in deep, say five inches, with a two-horse plow, and protected by a coating of grass and weeds. The cause of this failure is attributable to the dry freeze in February. At this time, generally, our wheat fields are covered with verdure, whereas now, in passing, we cannot tell whether they are in tillage or open fallow.

Of tobacco, which is king in this county, much may be said involving both truth and error. The past winter has been so extremely dry that tobacco has not "come in" more than twice; hence the crop is not more than two-thirds "stripped," and likely may not be until the spring sweat enables the planter to *strike* and and finish.

Of the quantity of tobacco: It is now, we think, pretty well settled among the knowing ones that there will not be more than a half crop realized this season, owing to the fact that in its incipient state the wet weather caused it to "french," and the early frost which took place on the last day of August, did the "thing up brown."

Of the quality of tobacco more may be said than of quantity, for a merchant can get a "bill filled" for any conceivable variety running through the various grades from one to sixteen. There will be but little first class tobacco or leaf. Any amount of second-class or lugs, and a considerable sprinkling of trash or third-class. The impression early got out among the farmers that the heavy grades of tobacco would suit the requirements of the market best; hence the abandonment on their part of the various species of light, bright Prior, in favor of the Daniel Jones, Long Greens, and other heavy kinds; and while the general crop is of the heavy grades, we have seen some splendid samples of magnificent Pie Bald, which will take rank as selections, and prove exceptions to the general character of the tobacco crop of this season's growth.

Of the market: This has not as yet opened, and the present status in the trade is rather strange, indeed quite anomalous, for by this time usually the crop of this county is sold, delivered, and the money spent.

THE CREATION OF THE UNION.—At the opening of the Union Square buildings, connected with the Metropolitan Fair, the Hon. Samuel B. Ruggles made the dedication address, in which, in his usual style of matchless felicity, he traced the connection between the Square and the early history of the Republic. We make a single quotation:

"The miseries of the war of the Revolution were by no means terminated at the peace. Need we record the dismal story of the jealous and distracted, bankrupt and ruined States, practically disunited for every high political purpose, and just ready to fall to pieces under that most miserable apology for a government denominated the 'Old Confederation?' What American does not know and fully appreciate the magnificent civil achievement of 1787, the master-piece of our own peerless Hamilton and his immortal associates, who, gathering up these discordant and disorderly fragments, and uniting them firmly by a common Constitution, under one common sovereignty, brought into being the American Union, and sent out the proudly united Republic to claim its height and rank in the great family of civilized nations! Under the magic hand of creative political genius, the old vessel of State, that rickety flotilla of shallops feebly lashed side by side, was transformed and transmuted into a line-of-battle ship, symmetrical and majestic, bearing aloft the ensign of the Great Republic, and announcing to the world the transcendant sovereignty of the American Union; then, and now, and forever—undivided and indivisable.

DISCOVERY OF GLASS.—Pliny informs us that the art of making glass was accidentally discovered by some merchants, who were traveling with nitre, and stopping near a river issuing from Mount Carmel. Not finding anything to rest their kettles on, they used some pieces of nitre for that purpose. The nitre gradually dissolving by the heat mixed with the sand, and a transparent matter flowed, which was, in fact, glass. It is certain that we are often more indebted to apparent chance than genius for many of the most valuable discoveries; therefore every one should keep his eyes and ears open, his thoughts and feelings awake and active.

IN a private letter from the army, the writer tells a story of one of the farmers in the vicinity of Culpepper, whose possessions lay in a district where both armies have foraged. The old chap one day, while surveying ruefully the streaks in the soil where his fences once stood, remarked with much feeling:

"I hain't took no sides in this yer rebellion, but I'll be dog gorned if both sides hain't took me!"

A gentleman who was in arrears for several weeks' board and lodgings, complained one morning that his coffee was not settled. "You had better settle for your coffee and then complain," said the landlady.

Bulwer says that "death often changes aversion into love." Certainly it does; we may have an antipathy to sheep and swine, and yet love mutton and pork.

FROM HARRISBURG.

Return of Spring—Consideration of Local Bills—Private Bills—Apportionment Bill—Discussion on Volunteer Bounty Bill, &c.

Special Correspondence of the Commercial:

HARRISBURG, April 7, 1864.

The morning opened beautifully. Old Sol succeeded yesterday afternoon, in his genial efforts to cheer up and brighten all animate as well as inanimate nature, while the birds this morning, are carrolling forth their sweetest notes, as a welcome to the lovely, balmy season, spring. A poet, or one capable of painting the scenery which surrounds the capitol, should have taken his place in the dome of the State House this morning. Such an one would have had ample scope for either his pen or pencil. It would have been a glorious opportunity for Wall.

Nothing of any special importance to your people transpired in the House this morning. The session was taken up by gentlemen from Philadelphia, and other Eastern counties, moving to suspend the rules, to consider bills in which their respective constituents are interested. Several of these were put through, and at one o'clock the House adjourned to meet at three P. M.

The afternoon was devoted to the consideration of private bills, called up by members in alphabetical order. The members from Allegheny county were not reached, hence no bills affecting your readers particularly were acted upon.

Apportionment bills were reported in both Houses. Enclosed you will find the Senate bill as reported by Mr. Connell, of Philadelphia. Mr. Olmstead, Chairman of the House Committee, also reported a bill, which I am not able to give you at this time.

A great deal of feeling is manifesting itself in regard to the apportionment bill, and when the fact is remembered that this, the appropriation, military, revenue, and other important acts have yet to be discussed and passed upon, the idea of a final adjournment on the 28th inst. seems rather preposterous.

The bill authorizing the Government to pay bounties to volunteers was discussed at length in the Senate to-day, but without coming to a vote the question was laid over until Tuesday next.

State Agency at Washington.

An important bill has been prepared by Attorney General Meredith, after consultation; enlarging the powers and duties of the State Agency at Washington. The following is a copy of it as read in the House by Colonel Glass:

A supplement to an act entitled "an act to create a loan and provide for arming the State," approved the 16th day of May, 1861.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That the agency heretofore established at Washington, by the Governor, be enlarged so that the agent and assistant agent, shall have the rank, pay and allowances of Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel, respectively; to be paid by the Adjutant General, and that the duties of said agency be enlarged so as to include the collection of pay, pensions and bounties due to Pennsylvania volunteers, without charge or expense to such volunteers and such other duties as the Governor may from time to time direct, and that the Governor be authorized to establish an agency at some point in the Southwest to provide for the comfort and efficiency of our volunteers, the care of the sick and wounded; the sending home of the dead bodies of those who may die in the service, and such other purposes as may be necessary for the benefit of our volunteers in that part of the United States; and that the Agent and Assistant Agent who may be appointed at such agency, shall have such rank and receive such compensation as the Governor may direct: provided, that the rank, pay and allowances shall not exceed those of a Lieutenant Colonel; and they shall be paid by the Adjutant General.

SEC. 2. That the Governor be and he is hereby authorized to appoint clerks to assist the agency at Washington: provided, that not more than two clerks be so appointed, and that their salaries shall not exceed one hundred dollars per month, and shall be paid by the Adjutant General.

SEC. 3. That the Governor be and he is hereby authorized to appoint such persons as may be necessary to prepare a military history of the regiments of Pennsylvania volunteers and militia, who have been, or may be in the field, *Provided* that such persons shall not receive pay and allowances at a higher rate than that of Lieutenant Colonel.

SEC. 4. That the pay and allowances mentioned in this act, shall be construed to mean the pay, emoluments and commutations allowed in the infantry service by the general regulations of the army of the United States.

SEC. 5. That the government is hereby authorized to draw on his warrant, from the State Treasury, a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars, to be paid out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the compensation and other expenses, which are authorized by the thirteenth section of the act to which this is a supplement.

A SWINDLING FIRM IN CINCINNATI.

Parties Defrauded to Amount of $25,000.

Pittsburgh Glassware Men Among the Victims.

There was great excitement in business circles Thursday on the discovery that the firm of Bidwell & Co. had left Cincinnati on Wednesday night, leaving a large amount of debts unsatisfied. They went to that city in December last, and opened a commission store on Sycamore street, worked themselves into the confidence of business men, and consummated a grand scheme of swindling on Wednesday, by purchasing from five hundred dollars to twelve hundred dollars worth of jewelry and a great deal of ready made clothing, A female accomplice also ran up large bills at fur stores,

The bills were to be paid next day, but when the creditors appeared, the store was found closed and the firm gone—it is thought to Canada. By the aid of accomplices they have been able to defraud houses in other cities. They had glassware from Pittsburgh; oils from Cleveland; wines from New York, and various kinds of produce from country stores, for sale on commission. This stuff they sold, and pocketed the gross proceeds. The extent of their swindling operations is not fully known. It is supposed they have made from $20,000 to $25,000 by the operations of the past three months.

MR. ADAMS AS A DIPLOMATE.—In a critical notice of the volumes of diplomatic correspondence lately published, the *North American Review* for April takes occasion to pay the following well-deserved compliment to the Minister of the United States at the Court of St. James:

"In the present collection, the correspondence which will be read with the most interest is that which concerns our relations with England, and it is no small satisfaction that our interests should have been committed, during so critical a period, to a man so prudent, able, and tenacious as Mr. Adams, The third of his name in hereditary succession, who has been our ambassador at St. James', he has so acquitted himself as to more than justify expectation. A truly solid man, with a sense of the true points at issue, not to be baffled or diverted, he has managed the dangerous business of the Alabama and the rebel rams with a discreet firmness that is already having its effect on public opinion in England. It is truly diverting to see Earl Russell endeavoring to talk down a man like this, to watch his supercilliousness gradually becoming vexation, doubt, alarm, and finally apologetic concession. Mr. Adams, continually 'having the honor to be,' and 'taking this occasion to renew,' with the blandest formality, forces his lordship closer to the wall, where he leaves him pinned at last, 'with distinguished consideration,' of course, but squirming in most entomological fashion. The praise once bestowed on Sir Francis Walsingham is admirably applicable to our ambassador. It may truly be said of him, 'How vigilant he was to gather true intelligence; what means and persons he employed for it; how punctual he was in keeping to his instructions where he was limited, and how wary and judicious where he was left free; still advancing, upon all occasions, the reputation and interest of his great mistress, with a lively and indefatigable devotion!"

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FOR SALE.—The undersigned have been appointed a committee by the Stockholders to make sale of the OAKLAND AND PITTSBURGH AND MINERSVILLE RAILWAYS, or either of them—with equipments, stock, &c., and will receive bids therefor until May 1st proximo. If not sold by that time, proposals will be received for the iron and wood of the respective railways.

Notice of the disposal of the equipments, &c. will be given after May 1st, aforesaid.

For particulars refer to either of the undersigned.

WM A. HERRON,
JOSHUA RHODES,
SAMUEL MORROW,
CHARLES MEYRAN,
A. S. BELL,
Committee.
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REMOVAL.—A. BALLOU has removed from WATER street to 168 and 170 SECOND street, between Cherry alley and Grant street. ap8:1t

RYE WANTED.—
A. BALLOU,
168 and 170 Second street, between Grant street and Cherry alley. ap8:1t

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

The Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair.

The erection of the Great Sanitary Fair Buildings will be commenced sometime during the coming week. The lumber for the buildings has been shipped from Cleveland, and will all be delivered on the grounds during the early part of next week. The success of the Fair is an admitted fact by all with whom we have conversed, and the only anxiety felt upon the point is as to what shall be the measure of that success. Our leading business men have taken a decided interest in the success of the undertaking, and are devoting a portion of each day towards furthering that end. The ladies of the city and vicinity are also working heroically, and are canvassing the wards, boroughs and townships, with the view of enlisting the aid and co-operation of all in the good work. It is not expected that the Pittsburgh Fair will realize as much in actual amount as will the fairs in New York and Philadelphia, but it is anticipated that its success will be proportionably as great as either of those named.

The territory directly interested in the Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair, embraces all of the counties in Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio, and West Virginia. The soldiers in the field from those counties are alike with our own, the objects of solicitude on the part of the Pittsburgh Branch of the United States Sanitary Commission, and the people at home cannot but feel it their duty, as well as pleasure, to contribute to the fund of the Commission. Already favorable reports have been received from the people of West Virginia, and two or three of the adjoining counties of this State. Such Counties as Cambria, Somerset, Greene, Fayette Westmoreland, Armstrong, Venango, Clarion, Clearfield, Jefferson, Beaver, Lawrence, Indiana, Mercer, Crawford, Erie, etc., are directly interested in the success of the Fair, and their patriotic people should immediately set to work, and prepare for such a representation of their wealth and liberality as will do them credit now and hereafter. We would recommend to the citizens of all our counties the action of Butler, where local committees were formed in each township, for the purpose of having the county thoroughly interested in the Fair. Butler promises to contribute largely.

The oil region has a decided interest in the Fair, as the wealth of that territory was principally developed by Pittsburgh capital and enterprise. The contributions from the oil interest, it is reasonably expected, will be second to none in liberality. The value of one day's flow or product of oil from all of the wells in the oil region would be a very handsome donation. The oil wells of West Virginia will also, it is expected, contribute of their wealth to the Fair fund. Our oil merchants in the city and neighborhood will also contribute generously, and the total donations from the oil interest will foot up an amount worthy of imperishable record.

Allegheny Council Proceedings.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Allegheny Councils, held on Thursday evening, the Committee on Fire Engines reported that the Fire Department was being re-organized, and that the new steam engine "General Grant" would be shipped from the Amoskeag Works on the 10th inst. They reported in favor of fixing up the Third Ward engine house for the temporary accommodation of the "General Grant," and a resolution to that effect was adopted. The receipts from the city weigh scales for the month of March was $250 90. Warrants were ordered to be drawn in favor of the Allegheny gas company for $1,208 for lighting city lamps, and A. D. & H. Chambers for $75 25, for glass for lamps. A resolution was adopted, instructing our representatives at Harrisburg to oppose the passage of the bill incorporating the Pittsburgh and New Troy Passenger Railway Company, unless the bill shall provide that the company must first obtain the consent of Councils for the use of the streets, and that the per centage paid the city must be upon the net earnings and not upon dividends. The name of Fleming street, in the Third Ward, was changed to Sandusky street.

The Police Committee reported an ordinance, providing that the police force of the city shall consist of one chief at a salary of $700 per annum, and seven others at a salary of $600 per annum each; the night police of one captain at a salary of $700 per annum; one lieutenant at $650, and sixteen privates at a salary of $600 each. It also provides for the uniforming of the police, gives the Mayor control of the police, and imposes a penalty of from five to ten dollars on any officer who refuses to wear his uniform or conceals the insignia of office. The fees and perquisites heretofore paid to the police are to be paid into the City Treasury, and all the policemen shall take the oath of allegiance and give bail in $200 for the faithful performance of their duty. The ordinance passed to a third reading, and was laid over under the rules.

A resolution was adopted, authorizing the City Solicitor, Water Committee and Chairman of Councils to prepare a bill to be presented to the Legislature, providing for the appointment of Messrs. James Marshall, William Smith, Joseph Kirkpatrick, Henry Irwin and J. L. L. Knox, as Commissioners of the Water Works extension, with power to contract for and have erected under their supervision the proposed addition to the Water Works of this city, including all machinery, and to issue bonds for the creation of a loan not to exceed the sum of $150,000, for the payment of the costs of the same; the said Commissioners to hold such position until the extension is fully completed and the loan created fully paid.

Col. Ekin Promoted.—We are pleased to learn that Col. James A. Ekin has been placed, by Secretary Stanton, in full charge of the Cavalry Bureau, at Washington, in place of Gen. Wilson, relieved. Col. Ekin is an energetic, faithful and accomplished officer, and has proved himself every way worthy of the promotion conferred upon him by Secretary Stanton. His numerous friends in this community will be pleased to learn of Col. Ekin's good fortune.

Great Rush at Masonic Hall to-day. Matinee at 2 o'clock, 1t

Wife Shot by Her Husband.—On Tuesday, while Mr. James C. Ramsey, residing near Uniontown, was handling a loaded gun outside of his house, it was accidentally discharged, the ball passing through the window into the house, and striking his wife in the face. The ball lodged in the head of Mrs. Ramsey, and will prove fatal. The anguish of the unfortunate husband is very great.

The Admission to Masonic Hall this afternoon is only 15 cents. 1t

Appointed to the Navy.—Drs. W. R. Semans and Henry W. Deford, of Uniontown, have been appointed and commissioned Assistant Surgeons in the United States Navy, and have reported for duty.

The Glass Engine will be in full operation this afternoon at Masonic Hall. 1t

Sanitary Fair Committee.—The following additional committees have been appointed:—*Hardware*—Ed. Gregg, Chairman; Geo. J. Duff, P. H. Laufman, W. W. Mair, Jos. Woodwell and J. F. Day. *Hats, Caps and Furs*—Charles H. Paulson, Chairman; J. D. McCord, J. H. Hillerman.

Go to Masonic Hall to-day at 2 o'clock. 1t

Admitted to Hospital.—The following soldiers were admitted to the Annapolis, Md., Hospitals within the last few days: I. Cooper, 14th Penna. Cavalry, and J. H. Minch and J. W. Gilkey, 100th Penna. Vols.

Glass-Blowers' Mattinee to-day at 2 o'clock. Admission, 15 cents. 1t

Appointed Notary.—Mr. James Miller, of Allegheny City, has been appointed by the Governor, Notary Public, in place of A. Schoyer, Esq., whose term has expired.

Beautiful Parlor Ornaments given away this afternoon at Masonic Hall. 1t

Died in Hospital.—H. A. Leavick, paroled prisoner, of Company F, 5th Penna., died in the Annapolis Hospital last week, a victim to rebel cruelty.

Everybody, with their wife and children, will be at Masonic Hall this afternoon. 1t

Fire.—The roof of the Lanahan House, on Penn street, was on fire yesterday afternoon, but by the timely application of a few buckets of water, the flames were extinguished.

Go Early to Masonic Hall to-day. Doors open at 2 o'clock. 1t

Removed.—We have removed our establishment to Nos. 12 and 14 St. Clair street, on the 2d floor, front rooms, of "Bissells new Block" where, besides the "Howe Sewing Machine" we shall sell "Stieff's" Pianoes. The "Howe Sewing Machine," is too well known to need commendation. The "Stieff" Piano, is overstrung with an iron frame, and in richness and brilliancy of tone, is inferior to no other in this market, while in style of finish and *price* it is superior to all others.
3t A. M. MCGREGOR, Ag't.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH, GRANT, NEAR SIXTH STREET.—There will be PREACHING in this church every SABBATH, by the Pastor, Rev. S. WASHINGTON, at 10½ o'clock, a. m., and 7½ p. m., which the public are respectfully invited to attend. ap8:3m-e8

A MEETING OF THE UNION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, of Allegheny county, will be held at the office of MARSHALL & BROWN, No. 116 FIFTH street, Pittsburgh, on THURSDAY, April 14th, inst., at one o'clock, p. m.

A. M. BROWN, Chairman.
JOHN H. STEWART, Secretary. ap8 td

NOTICE.—The lumber and all material necessary for erecting the SANITARY FAIR BUILDINGS, is now ready; it is proposed by the Carpenters and Builders, in and around the city to erect said buildings free of cost. All, therefore, who are willing to contribute to so worthy an object are requested to make the same known to any one of the undersigned immediately:

Wm. Boyd,
Samuel Lutz,
Alex. Easley,
Jos. Graham,
John Kinsey,
L. Bentz,
Adam Krugh,
Samuel Martin,
Wm. Bunton,
H. F. Richardson,
James Park, Jr.,
John McDonald,
James Millinger,
John Alexander,
James Chambers,
Alex. McLean,
Alex. Wilson,
Wm. Rigdon,
Wm. M. Edgar,
A. Patterson,
Jas. M. Burns,
John C. Bindley,
Jos. Nobbs,
Jas. A. Sholcs,
C. W. Batchelor,
John W. Chalfant,
Alexander Moore,
Building Committee.

The above Committee and all others interested will meet on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, at the office of C. W. Batchelor, Custom House, Pittsburgh.
ap8td JAMES MILLINGER, Chairman.

ASSESSMENT.—Notice is hereby given that an instalment of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE has been levied on the Capital Stock of the GREAT WESTERN MINING COMPANY, payable at the office of the Treasurer, in the City of Pittsburgh, on TUESDAY, the 10th day of May next, by Stockholders of record, on the morning of MONDAY, the 2d of May, 1864.

Eastern Stockholders may pay at the office of H. W. Nelson, City Exchange, Boston.

By order of the Board of Directors.
JAMES M. COOPER,
Secretary and Treasurer Great Western Mining Company. ap7:td

ASSESSMENT.—Notice is hereby given that an instalment of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE has been levied on the Capital Stock of the MASS MINING COMPANY, of Pittsburgh, payable at the office of the Treasurer, in the city of Pittsburgh, on TUESDAY, the 10th day of May next, by Stockholders of record, on the morning of MONDAY, the 2d of May, 1864.

By order of the Board of Directors.
JAMES M. COOPER,
Secretary and Treasurer Mass Mining Company of Pittsburgh. ap7:td

FRANCIS TORRANCE, NOTARY PUBLIC and COMMISSIONER for the States of Ohio, Indiana, Minnesota, Missouri and Massachusetts, appointed and commissioned by the several Governors thereof to take Depositions, Acknowledgments of Deeds, &c., to be used or recorded therein.

Office: No. 189 PENN street, Pittsburgh, Pa.
fe12:6m

AS REQUIRED BY AN ACT of ASSEMBLY, notice is hereby given that ANDREW LONG has been appointed Assistant Cashier of the Exchange Bank of Pittsburgh.
H. M. MURRAY, Cashier.
Pittsburgh, April 1, 1864. ap1:10d

TO THE MECHANICS, MINERS AND WORKINGMEN OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA, WEST VIRGINIA AND OHIO: I am directed by the Executive Committee of the Pittsburgh Fair, for the sick and wounded of our Army and Navy, to ask you to give the proceeds of one day's labor, in your ordinary avocations, to this Fair; and the appeal is made in the confident hope of a generous response. One day's work in the year will not be hard for each man to give, and yet the aggregate sum produced will be a splendid testimonial of your sympathy with the noble soldiers of the Union, who are so freely giving every day, and their lives for the glorious cause.

None but those who have seen the operations of the United States Sanitary Commission on the field and in the hospital, can tell how great the benefit it works out for the soldiers; and even the soldiers themselves, while their lives are being saved by the Commission often do not know whence the aid comes.

If any one supposes that the workingman or the poor man has any less real stake in this struggle for liberty and union than the manufacturer, merchant or land owner, he is in error.

The poor men or his sons may become rich, the rich man and his sons may become poor; whether rich or poor, the blessings of the Free Institutions watered in their planting by the blood of Revolutionary martyrs, and cultivated to their present perfection by the wise statesmen of the Republic, belong to all; and for ourselves and our posterity "*must and shall be preserved.*" Some of us must fight—others must work—and among all the modes by which we who are at home can labor for the holy cause, there is none more effective than to aid the sick and wounded soldiers. Every life saved, is a man given to his country, and leaves one man at home, who would otherwise be needed to fill his place.

Every gift to help the wounded patriot, is a gift to God and the cause of freedom, and He who came to heal the sick and "to proclaim liberty to the captive, and the breaking of chains to them that are bound," promises a reward for the imitation of His works.

God, patriotism, humanity—the holiest and noblest moving springs of human action—call upon us to help the Soldiers of the Union. Let every man respond, and let the noble workmen in iron and coal, to whom our country owes so much of her prosperity, take the lead in the patriotic effort.

It is requested that each mill, foundry, mine, or workshop will appoint its own committee to obtain the subscriptions and see that the sum is paid to N. HOLMES, Treasurer of the Fair, by whom acknowledgments will be made in the newspapers and by letter.

FELIX R. BRUNOT,
Chairman Executive Committee.

ALEXANDER BATES,

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of the richest
DRESS GOODS,
SILKS,
SHAWLS,
and
MANTLES,
at
21 Fifth street.
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EDGEWORTH SEMINARY FOR YOUNG LADIES.—The Summer Session, of fourteen weeks will open on May 2d. Besides the very best advantages, in the way of instruction, this institution, being entirely in the country, and surrounded with extensive and well shaded grounds, affords a delightful retreat from the heat of the city during the early months of Summer; while the entire expenses for board, tuition, &c., do not exceed what board alone can be had for in the city.

Apply soon to the Principal.
Rev. A. WILLIAMS,
ap8:2w Sewickleyville, Pa.

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THORN & CO.'S
Boiler Yard, Duquesne Way, immediately.
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REMOVED.—On MONDAY the 21st inst. the office of the
"EXCELSIOR OMNIBUS CO.,"
Will be removed to No. 410 PENN street, where calls for Omnibuses or Carriages may be left for all trains going East or West.
sel9:tf JAMES DAIN & CO.

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Manufacturer of
OIL OF VITRIOL AND AQUA AMMONIA.
Orders left at John Porterfield and Co.'s office, corner of Market and First street, will receive prompt attention.

AMUSEMENTS.

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Lessee and Manager	WM. HENDERSON
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Sixth night of the distinguished young tragedian, EDWIN ADAMS, who will appear in his admired personation of Charles de Moor.

THIS EVENING, will be presented Schiller's ever popular tragedy of
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Charles de Moor	Edwin Adams.
Francis	G. S. Kames.
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To conclude with
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Gilbert	C. Loveday.

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For particulars see various bulletin boards and programmes of the day.

Doors open at 7 o'clock; performance to commence at 8 o'clock.

Prices of Admission—Tickets 25 cents. Reserved seats 50 cents.
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D. S. GARDINER,
Advertising Agents.
CHAS. H. DUPREZ, Manager. ap7:10t

"SINGING SCHOOL,"
AT CONCERT HALL,
ON MONDAY, April 11th, 1864,
For the benefit of the
U. S. SANITARY COMMISSION.

A singing practice, in which some forty gentlemen, amateurs, will participate.

The selections, consisting of Solos, Duetts, Quartettes and Operas, will be announced from the stage by the preceptor.

Doors open at 7 o'clock—to commence at 8.
Tickets $1—for sale at all the Music Stores.
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CONCERT HALL.—
RUSSELL'S
Great Panorama of the Rebellion
Will be exhibited in the above Hall for ONE WEEK ONLY, commencing
Monday, April 4th.

The Exhibition will be interspersed with Songs and Duetts by Miss EMMA REIGNOLDS and Mr. W. R. GOODWIN.

Matinee on WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY AFTERNOONS, for the accommodation of families and schools.

Admission to evening entertainment 25 cts. Afternoon, 15 cents.

Doors open in the evening at 7 o'clock; afternoon at 2 o'clock.

See posters and programmes.
ap2 T. B. SMITH & CO., Managers.

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WOODROFFE'S
GREAT ORIGINAL BOHEMIAN TROUPE OF
GLASS BLOWERS,

Will open their Grand Gift Promenade Entertainment at the above Hall, on MONDAY EVENING, April 4th, 1864, and exhibit every evening, and WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY AFTERNOONS.

At each entertainment the celebrated Low Pressure Glass Steam Engine Monitor, made entirely of Glass, will be in full motion. Another great feature, all the magnificent work of art, manufactured by the Company, will be gratuitously distributed to the visitors.

On FRIDAY EVENING, April 1st, a beautiful case of work will be presented to the Author of the best original Conundrum on the Glass Steam Engine.

Admission to evening entertainments, 25 cts.; Afternoons, 15 cents. No half price. Doors open in the evening at 7 o'clock, afternoons at 2 o'clock. Exhibition commences half an hour later.

WM. WOODROFFE, Manager.
E. M. GARDINER, Agent. mh25

CANDIDATES.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—DAVID COLLINS, of Penn township, will be a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.
mr14:tc.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.—D. C. HULTZ will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention. fe23:tc

FOR PROTHONOTARY.—GEO. R. RIDDLE will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Convention. fe11:d&wtc

FOR PROTHONOTARY.—JACOB H. WALTER, of the Sixth Ward, Pittsburgh, will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention. fe3:tc

FOR PROTHONOTARY.—GEO. FINLEY will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.
ja29:tc

FOR PROTHONOTARY.—THOS. STEEL will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Union Republican Convention. ja19

CORONER.—JOHN McCLUNG, of the First Ward, Allegheny, will be a candidate for Coroner of Allegheny County, subject to the decision of the ensuing County Union Convention. ja21:tc

BLINN'S PATENT LAMP CHIMNEY CLEANER.—No more chimnies broken by cleaning—it cleans a chimney without washing, and is the only article in the market that cleans a chimney perfectly. For sale at the principal Lamp Stores, and at the Lamp and Oil Store of WELDON & KELLY,
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MACKRELL & JOHNSON,
Attorneys-at-Law
AND SOLDIERS' CLAIM AGENTS,
No. 89 Grant street, 3 doors from corner of Fifth street. dec10

DISSOLUTION.

The Firm of CLANEY, MESKIMEN & CO. has been dissolved this day by mutual consent, J. MESKIMEN having withdrawn from the firm.

W. M. CLANEY,
CHAS. A. SHAEFFER,
J. MESKIMEN.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 23, 1863.

In withdrawing from the above firm I cheerfully recommend my late partners to my friends and the public.
J. MESKIMEN.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 23, 1863.

We have this day associated with us in the Coal Business, HUGH CLANEY, Esq., under the name and style of W. M. & H. CLANEY & CO.

W. M. CLANEY,
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PITTSBURGH, Dec. 13, 1863.

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STATEMENT OF WASHINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY, of New York.

Capital Stock	$400,000 00
Surplus	184,473 51
Total assets	584,473 51
Amount of Premiums received during the year	198,578 06
Amount of Interest, &c., received during the year	45,382 09
	243,460 15
Amount of losses paid during the year	85,386 43
Liabilities	none.

This Company divides Seventy-five per cent. of its profits among the insured.

S. S. BRYAN, Agent,
ap4 59 Fourth street, (Burke's Building.)

PROFESSIONAL NOTICE.—We notice in the daily *Commercial* of the arrival, in Pittsburgh, of Dr. J. M. MINER, late Professor of the EYE and EAR, in Infirmary in the city of New York; and, also, Professor of PHYSIC and SURGERY. The Professor has taken rooms in the St. Clair Hotel, private entrance on PENN street, where he can be consulted for a short time upon the Eye and Ear, and all diseases of the Heart, Throat, Lungs and Liver. He also pays especial attention to all female derangements of every kind. He warrants every case he undertakes a perfect cure—he will tell you candidly whether you can be cured or not, and point out to you your exact condition. The Doctor comes well recommended. We would wish all the afflicted to give an immediate call. Remember, he cures all diseases flesh is heir to.
ap4:tw Professor J. M. MINER, M. D.

SHADOWS.

When the children are hushed in the nursery,
And the swallows sleeps in the eaves,
And the night wind is murmuring secrets
Apart to the listening leaves;
Then I open the inner chamber
That was closed from the dust of day,
And gently undraw the curtain
Where my holiest treasures lay.

Sweet spirits that may not slumber;
Cool shadows from lights now gone;
And the echoes of voices sounding,
All sounding for me alone.
And, blending among the others,
One echo is softer yet;
One shadow is cooler, deeper;
And my dimming eyes grow wet.

For the image I gaze on longest
Is the image that blest my youth;
The angel that lit my journey
With her lamp of love and truth.
We traveled life's way together
A little while side by side;
And, When I grew faint or weary,
That light was my strength and guide.

And dearer it grew—how dearer!
Till I watched it wane and fade:
And my angel said as we parted,
Be patient, be not afraid.
And when I am sick and weary
With the heat and the dust of the day,
How the sense of her words comes o'er me;
Her words ere she went away.

And I ask for a patient wisdom,
As I journey the way alone;
Till I tread on the golden threshold
Of the heaven where she is gone.
When the children are hushed in the nursery,
And the swallow sleeps in the eaves,
And the night wind is murmuring secrets
Apart to the listening leaves.

Wayside Jottings.

NUMBER V.

The hardest heart may break because it will not bend; while the softer heart will bend because it cannot break. Some men show pity because they often need it themselves—others will not show pity, not because they never need it, but rather because they are afraid the world will believe they do.

If you should happen to meet a friend in need, remember that you do not know how soon you may need a friend.

In stormy times many men lay themselves out to be warriors; while, on the other hand, many warriors, in stormy times, are laid out.

Many persons look upon themselves as struggling to benefit the world, when in fact the world looks upon them as only struggling to benefit themselves.

If we had nothing in life to be good for, we would all end our lives in being good for nothing.

Some bad men have been called great men, but the historians who wrote them so were not the men who suffered from their badness. There is a great difference between the critic that feels a man's power in history, and the individual that feels his tyranny in lashes on his back.

Some men have so many friends it would be a difficult matter to call them by name; while others have so few, it is a difficult matter at times for their friends to name them.

A man may have a great love for his country; but when it comes to getting his country to have a great love for him, it is a very different matter.

When men and women are too fond of flattery, it is a sign they have thought so much about themselves as to believe others have thought a great deal about them too.

If you cannot tell the truth do not tell a lie; for the lie, some day, may tell on you.

Some men begin their lives by believing everything; but end their lives in believing nothing.

He who preaches more for the sake of popularity than for the sake of true piety, reverses the order of things, and puts himself before God, instead of putting God before himself.

Anger is not always the sign of a bad heart, though it is frequently the sign of a weak one. Some persons after a fit of boisterous indignation will attone for their indiscretion by the most amiable arts. Some of the kindest people at heart may be carried away for a moment by that very heart where their kindness dwells.

Some persons have thought as they could find nothing else to love the would commence and passionately love themselves.

A good man with a very bad memory, may get almost as bad a name with a good memory.

A high bead often makes a low purse.

A small number of men have quite a sly way of giving a few things; while a great many men have a remarkably sly way of taking a number of things.

If all men were rich it would be useless to talk about poverty, for people would not know what you mean. If all men were poor it would be useless to talk about riches, for you would not be understood.

It is useless to talk about being better and not be so; rather be better at once and say nothing about it.

If you tell some people they have the least fault they become angry, not because they do not know they have faults, but simply because they do not wish others to think they have.

Some persons, by taking everything for granted, are as badly off as they who do not take anything for granted. The first are continually deceiving others, while the last are constantly deceiving themselves.

J. K. H.

Navigating the Air.

It is asked, what reason have we to believe either that no improvement is possible on the already existing balloons, or that mechanical science may not one day arm us with a moter at once lighter and more powerful than any which we now possess? To these contingencies aeronauts are looking with renewed confidence. Chief among these are M. Ponton d'Amecourt, who is devoting himself with Nadar, to the development of the automotive screw for aerial navigation, and M. Babinet, of the Institute, who loudly insists upon the feasibility of this development, and declares that he himself worked out "the mathematical infallible calculations which guarantee the success of aerial navigation." "With small models shown at a meeting of scientific men at my house," adds M. Babinet, "we have seen the machines of M. d'Amecourt and M. de le Laudelle armed with springs stiffened by only a moderate force, arise in the air and sustain themselves there during the whole time of the action of the spring. Now, if a small steam engine could restore to the spring the tension which it does by setting in motion the screw, the mechanism must arise indefinitely, maintain itself, and move in any given direction through the atmosphere."

As we cannot yet replace steam by any other agent for producing a rapid movement of rotation, the inventors of the ærial screw have been driven to work out some machine for generating steam, in which the weight of the generator shall be diminished.

M. de Ponton de Amecourt maintains that he has achieved this. "To increase the production of steam," he says "is simply to increase the length of the generating tube. If all the telegraph wires in the world were tubes, I could make a coil of them, put it into Vesuvius and set the Mediterranean a boiling. This illustration will show the power of small tubes, by which I propose to replace the existing boiler. As to the power of the steam thus generated! Give me a bomb, let me put a little water into it, adapt a few yards of my tubes to the bomb, and without bringing it near the fire, I will make the bomb explode before my tubes will burst."

It is upon this principle that the enterprising projectors are now constructing the first large model of their proposed æronautic machine. "A large model," says M. Babinet on this point, "is always better than a small one; and when you have once succeeded in taking up a mouse, it is a mere question of technology and of money, not of science, how soon and how you shall take up an elephant. * * * The greater part of the illusions which result in the ruin of inventors, result from their judging of the effect of a machine by that of some admirable little model. In the same way would those farmers act who should calculate the productiveness of a field by an agricultural experiment on a box of earth set in a window."

Looking Bad for Rhode Island.—In the Supreme Court of Rhode Island, on the 31st ult., twenty unhappy pairs were divorced from their lawful life partners. In fourteen out of the twenty cases the dissolution was granted on the petition of the wives, which shows pretty conclusively that the women are a better people in that State than the men.

The Cambridge *Herald* says Senator Hicks is fast improving in health. He is now at his farm "Appleby," near Cambridge.

The Moral of the Recent Elections.

[The following is taken from the last number of *"The Round Table,"* a journal independent in its criticisms, and anything but friendly to the Administration. Its opinions on all questions are expressed with perfect freedom, and its columns show marked ability in the management throughout. Its views, therefore, are entitled to weight, as coming from an intelligent observer, occupying an elevated stand-point:]

In commenting upon the result of the Connecticut election, the leading Democratic organ in this city, the *World*, is forced to admit that, were an election to be held next week, every State in the North, save, perhaps, New Jersey, would cast its electoral vote for the Republican candidate for the presidency. This is a significant admission, and is creditable to the candor of the journal making it. Nor can there be the slightest doubt of its truth. The loyal North, in spite of the manifest shortcomings of the Administration, is ready, and even anxious, to indorse Mr. Lincoln, and continue him and his associates in power for another four years.

For this very general feeling there are several obvious reasons. In the first place, it cannot be denied but that the military and civil conduct of the Administration has, on the whole, been remarkably successful. It is, perhaps, true that more politic rulers might have prevented the war, and a wiser military head would have ended it ere this, but no system of government has yet been devised by which the most worthy and wisest alone can be called to the conduct of affairs when a great emergency demands them. We believe impartial history will have a good word to say for even the impulsive Stanton and the unimpressible Welles. Other Presidents, people argue, might do better, but Mr. Lincoln is safe if not brilliant, and he certainly can be trusted not to do violence to our form of government, which, after all, is the great danger to a republic in war times.

The most potent influence, however, at work is the fear that the Democratic party, if restored to power, would do what it could to save slavery, whereas the majority of the Northern people have determined that that institution shall die the death. There is not rain enough in the sweet heavens to wash out the guilt of slavery so as to make it again tolerable to the people of the North. All feel that it has been a disturbing element in our politics, and that now is the time to make an end of it. Other things being equal, we believe that the country would prefer a Democratic to a Republican administration. The former party has been noted for the boldness of its foreign policy and for the conspicuous energy and ability of its leaders, and there is nothing that would prevent its return to power but its unfortunate relation to slavery.

If the coming military campaign is only reasonably successful, however, there can be no doubt of the result of the next Presidential election. The Republican candidate (Mr. Lincoln, himself, in all probability) will be successful. The only hope for the Democrats is in a crushing defeat of the National forces and another failure to capture the rebel capital. If the National hopes are again to be cruelly disappointed, there is no telling what erratic course public opinion may take. It is, however, the peculiarity of the position of the Democrats that their chances of success in the political canvas are dependent upon the defeat of the Union forces in the field. This, if not their fault, is certainly their misfortune. It of itself arrays against them the instinctive loyalty of the country, and puts them in a false position. We look forward, therefore, to another four years of Republican rule, because we hope and believe that the coming campaign against the rebellion will be successful, and, we fervently pray, final.

At a fancy dress ball in Paris, France, recently a lady was seen in a very low-necked dress, wide floating and waving an abundance of green gauze. She was politely asked by a gentleman what she personated. "The sea, Monsieur." "At *low tide* then, Madam." The lady blushed and the gentlemen smiled.

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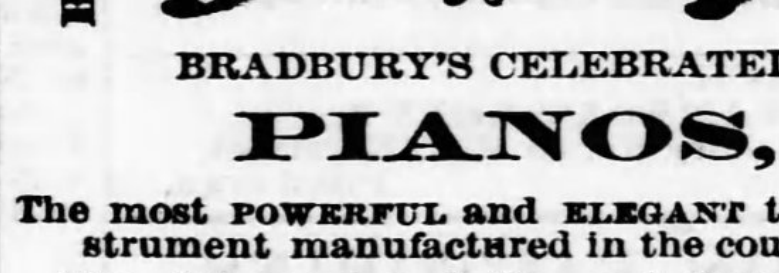

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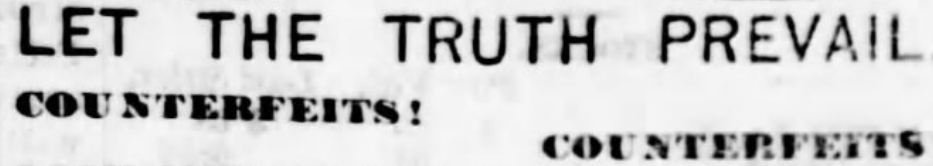

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The canvassers will commence taking the names of residents on Monday, April the 4th, and the publisher would here request that the inmates of each household, who may answer the enquiries of a canvasser, will furnish the name of every male adult resident with the family, also of any widow and of any woman carrying on business on her own account, to the end that the Directory may when compiled be as perfect as possible.

Each canvasser will be provided with a book on which to take orders for copies or advertisements.

Conscious that each succeeding year he has endeavored to render the Directory not only useful to the citizens, but more creditable to the city and advantageous as a medium of advertising, the publisher would ask that a liberal patronage both of subscriptions for copies and of advertising be extended this year to the publication. GEO. H. THURSTON,

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Books of subscription to the Capital Stock of the NEW CASTLE & FRANKLIN RAILROAD COMPANY will be opened on WEDNESDAY, the 27th of April.

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Specifications will be ready at the Company's office, in Pittsburgh, on and after the 1st of April, and proposals will be received from the 16th to the 23d of April.

BENJ. H. LATROBE, President.

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The Daily Commercial.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

List of Local Stocks and Securities.

REPORTED BY S. S. BRYAN, BROKER, 59 4TH ST.

STOCKS.

	Par Val.	Last Sales.
Bank of Pittsburgh	$ 50	$ 68
Exchange Bank	50	63½
Merchants' & Manufac. Bk.	50	58⅝
Mechanics' Bank	50	63¼
Allegheny Bank	50	57½
Citizens' Bank	50	61@61¼
Iron City Bank	50	63⅛
Iron City Trust Co.	50	54⅝
Manchester Savings Bank	50	49¼
Monongahela Bridge	—	27½
Birmingham Gas Co.		31½
Citizens' Insurance Co.	50	60
Western Insurance Co.	42	58⅜
Eureka Insurance Co.	50	48
Mong. Insurance Co.	32	32½
Allegheny Valley R. R.	50	14½
Western Pennsylvania	50	—
Pittsburgh & Conns. R. R.	50	9⅛
do interest bearing		13
Pittsburgh and Steubenville	50	13½
Monongahela Nav. Co.	50	47½
Allegheny Insurance Co.	25	27½
Peoples Insurance Co.	25	28⅜
Pittsburgh Gas Co.	50	86½
Mass Mining Co.	$ —	8
Northwestern Mining Co.	7 05	15
Great Western "	1 00	5½
Dacotan "		5¼
Pitts. and Boston "	5 55	100
National "	5 50	31
North Cliff "	2 50	8½
Bay State "	1 25	25¼
Central "	4 35	71
Isle Royal "	16 10	28½
Minnesota "	3 50	86½
Aztec "		9
Flint Steel "		17½

BONDS.

Allegheny Co. Compro. 5s	$ 81
Pittsburgh " 5s	77
Pitts. Municipal 6s	95
Allegh'y Co. to (R. R.) with back coupons	
Pittsburgh (to R. R.) with back coupons	95
Pitts. & Conn. R. R. mort. 6s	90
A. V. R. R. 1st mortgage 7s	81
Alleg'y Co. Bounty Bonds	105
Allegheny City 4's	90
Pitts. and Steubv	67

Philadelphia Stock Market.

PHILADELPHIA, April 8.

Penn'a 5's	100¾	Long Island	50
Reading R. R.	85¼	Penn'a R.R.	79¾
Morris Canal	77	Gold	169

Exchange on N. Y. ⅛ discount.

PITTSBURGH, April 8.

THE gold gamblers of New York are again in the ascendant, despite the certificate system of the Secretary of the Treasury. It is really anomalous, this recent high pitch in the premium on gold. The fact of there being no other real demand now for it than to pay Customs—the business community requiring none for ordinary transactions—and foreign exchange dull, we cannot account for the advance in the premium upon any other hypothesis than being the work of a combination of the stock gamblers, who manage to keep control of the gold market. Under the impression that the Secretary will soon have to provide for the May interest, the market is held in abeyance by these sharks. We opine Mr. Chase is already prepared for the accruing interest, and if he should anticipate the payment of it, it might take the wind out of the speculators at once.

—The project for the establishment of the Fourth National Bank of this city, has been started. At a meeting of the Coal Merchants, held last Tuesday, the question of organizing such a Bank—the largest portion of the stock to be held by men in the coal business, and a majority of the Directors to be Coal Dealers—was discussed, and a committee appointed to ascertain the views of the dealers generally. The gentlemen composing this committee are among our heaviest coal men, viz: S. M. Bailey, J. F. Herron, J. F. Dravo and J. O'Connor. Books of subscription to the stock have been opened at the office of James O'Connor, Esq., 55 Market street, where an opportunity is given each day between the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m., until the 19th of this month, for persons to subscribe to this stock. We have no doubts of such an enterprise meeting with abundant success.

—At a meeting of the first and second mortgage bondholders of the Pittsburgh Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company, held yesterday in the city of New York, the vote on the proposition contained in the following resolution, the consent of said bondholders being requisite before the necessary capital to make the improvements can be added to the liabilities of the company, was unanimous.

Resolved, That it is expedient that expenditures for construction, equipment and objects pertinent thereto, involving new capital, should in the main be provided for by an increase of capital stock of the company.

Resolved, That the increase of capital stock should be made solely for the purpose of building and completing a double track, or such part thereof as may be expedient, and for equipping the road and providing such additional rolling stock, machinery, appurtenances and other facilities as may be necessary to properly do all the business which may offer, and for no other purpose, and should only be issued from year to year in such amounts as the stockholders at their annual meeting may decide upon. Their decision shall be based upon detailed estimates, made by the Board of Directors, of the amount of money necessary for the work of the year, and that the new issue of stock shall only be sold after public notice. That all moneys raised by such increase of the capital stock, shall be inviolably appropriated to the aforesaid purpose; that the sales or disposition of said stock from time to time, and the application of the moneys be made under the general supervision of James F. D. Lanier, J. Edgar Thomson, Springer Harbaugh, the present Finance Committee of the Company, and Samuel J. Tilden, and Louis H. Meyer, Directors resident in New York, or a majority of them, or by agents appointed by them, and that in case of any misapplication of the said moneys, the said Committee shall have power to suspend any further issues of stock than shall at that time have been actually made, and to revoke this consent as to such further issues.

Resolved, That the increase of capital for 1864 shall not exceed $3,500,000.

OUR COPPER MINES.

Comparative Product of the Lake Superior Mines for Two Years.

The product of the years 1862 and 1863 for each mine and district stands as follows:

PORTAGE LAKE DISTRICT.

	1863. Tons.	1863. lbs.	1862. Tons.	1862. lbs.
Quincy	1472	1531	1252	1493
Pewabic	1983	752	1025	1789
Franklin	780	189	945	1195
Isle Royale	872	920	520	1030
Grand Portage	248	883	....	....
Hancock	72	320	66	846
Huron	69	283	98	871
Mesnard	1	1000	33	....
St. Marys	2	....	....	....
Columbian	3	1254	....	....
Total	3101	1132	3942	1226

KEWEENAW DISTRICT.

	1863. Tons.	1863. lbs.	1862. Tons.	1862. lbs.
Cliff	1419	29	1624	1970
Central	450	215	304	1190
Copper Falls	234	624	199	1888
Phœnix	152	195	57	1180
Pethetick	55	1434	63	343
Amygdaloid	56	1701	94	1795
Garden City	39	889	1	724
North Cliff	4	1000	1	1673
Bay State	2	1000	....	....
N. American	....	....	27	477
Eagle River	....	....	5	597
Total	2439	592	2390	1637

ONTONAGON DISTRICT.

	1863. Tons.	1863. lbs.	1862. Tons.	1862. lbs.
Minnesota	1011	151	1525	96
National	515	402	596	100
Rockland	197	1383	331	1199
Evergreen Bluff	95	464	82	210
Knowlton	68	94	19	984
Ridge	46	1243	28	227
Carp Lake	45	1137	....	....
Superior	41	1830	7	104
Bohemian	23	1787	16	1912
Ogima	19	312	27	1780
Flint Steel	22	982	....	....
Caledonia	5	1864	....	....
Mass	5	1718	1	591
Hilton	4	....	....	....
Aztec	1	144	....	....
Adventure	....	....	16	1250
Errors in making up	....	....	22	800
Total	2004	1342	2728	778

RECAPITULATION.

	1863. Tons,	1863. lbs.	1862. Tons,	1862. lbs.
Portage Lake District	3104	1132	3942	1226
Keweenaw District	2439	592	2390	1637
Ontonagon District	2001	1342	2728	778
Total	8548	1066	9061	1641

Decrease in 1863, 413 tons, 575 lbs. The falling off has been confined entirely to the Ontonagon District. Portage Lake and Keweenaw Districts having increased 161 tons, 1,906 lbs. and 48 tons and 955 lbs. respectively.

The following table will give in round numbers, as nearly correct as it is possible to obtain, the amount of rough copper produced by the mines of Lake Superior since the first attempt to develop its riches by regular mining.

	Tons.
1845 to 1851	7,642
1855 to 1857	11,312
1858	3,500
1859	4,200
1860	6,000
1861	7,400
1862	9,062
1863	8,548
Total	57,664

Estimating that this copper sold at an average price of $500 per ton, and we find the gross amount is $28,832,000.

New Orleans Market.

March 30.—The cotton market was at a standoff between buyers and sellers, who were unable to agree on prices. Low middling was quoted at 64 cents and middling at 68 cents per lb. Molasses—choice old was selling at 68 cts., and common new crop was held at 70 cents. Sugar sold at 12¾@13¼ cents for common to good, 13¾@14¼ cents for fair, and 14⅞@15¾ for prime to choice.

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL, Saturday, April 9, 1864.

BUSINESS—The market yesterday presented but few changes. The demand for most articles was active, with an upward tendency. The weather was pleasant. It certainly looks as if Spring had set in for certain. The wharf certainly looked healthy. The amount of goods strung along the wharf was large, principally Pittsburgh manufactures. The steamer Julia arrived on time. She had a fine cargo. She will depart to-day at 4 p. m. The Major Anderson left last evening for Cincinnati. She had one of the best trips of the season. The Kenton was getting ready to leave last evening for St. Louis. As usual, she had a good trip. The Camelia left for St. Paul with her guards in the water. The Kate Robinson is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville. The Argonaut No. 2 has put out a St. Paul sign. The magnificent steamer M. S. Mepham will certainly leave for St. Louis during the present week; so get ready. The Colossus was unavoidably detained, but will cut loose this morning for Cincinnati. The Armenia will be the next boat for St. Paul. She will have dispatch. On the Allegheny, business was pretty active. The receipts of oil during the past twenty-four hours amounted to 5,964 barrels. The steamers Urilda and Leclair departed for Oil City. The Cottage No. 2 and Ida Reese were due last evening. The sales that came under our notice will be found below.

FLOUR.—The demand yesterday was only limited, holders, however, were firm in their views, and are not at all desirous of parting with their stocks. They say that prices will certainly advance. In the meantime the receipts that come forward pass through to the East. Among the sales were 150 bbls at—Extra, $6,25; Extra Fine, $6,80@7,25; 300 bbls at—Extra, $6,20; Extra Fine, $6,85@7.20 ℔ bbl. Sales of 200 barrels; the terms were withheld.

WHISKEY.—The market was too unsettled to give correct quotations. We could learn of no sales. Dealers are not desirous of parting with their stocks under the present circumstances. One dealer informed us, as a matter of accommodation, he would spare a few barrels at $1,15 ℔ gallon. The market contains a fair supply.

ASHES—The market was very firm, with a good local demand. Prices have further advanced. Holders of imported are not at all desirous of parting with their stocks. We note sales as follows: Soda Ash—Sales of 20 casks common at 5@5¼c; 10 casks refined at 6@6¼c. Nitrate of Soda—Sales of 10 bags at 10½c. Caustic Alkali—Sales of 11 bags at 10½c ℔ lb, prices tending upward.

HAY—The receipts continue light, and prices rule high. Sales of 6 loads at the scales at $35@38@40 ℔ ton. Baled was held at $31@32c from store.

GRAIN.—The wheat market was unchanged as regards prices or demand. The stock on hand is not large. Wheat—The business transacted was limited as follows: Red $1 28@1 30; white $1 35@1 36. Rye dull, and prices nominal at $1 30@1 35. Corn was in fair request; sales of 1,800 bushels in lots at $1 16@1 18 per bush. Barley was nominal. We omit quotations. Oats—The receipts were not large; sales to the extent of 800 bushels were made at 82@83c.

COFFEE.—The market was firm. Prices have further advanced; sales 50 sacks Rio at 43@43½c. Other sales were made at 42c.

SUGARS.—Were very firm, with a good demand; sales 12 hhds Cuba at 17c; 10 do Orleans at 18@18½c. Other kinds advancing.

MOLASSES.—The market was still looking up. We note sales 34 bbls old crop, Orleans, at 87c; new held at 97c@$1 00.

FISH—The market ruled firm. Sales 20 half bbls No. 3 medium Mackerel at $5 75; 25 half bbls large do at $6 75. Herring—Sales 25 bbls New Foundland a $7; 125 half do Lake at $5, and 62 do White Fish at $7 75.

RICE—Sales of 20 tierces Rangoon at 10¼c—a further advance.

POTATOES—Market firm. Sales 125 bbls Neshannocks at $3 per bush.

BUTTER—The demand was fully up with the supply. Sales 21 packages at 38, 40@42c. The receipts are increasing.

EGGS—The prices tend downward. Sales of 20 bbls at 20c; 10 do at 18@20c.

CRANBERRIES—Sales of 10 bbls at $11 00 per barrel.

DRIED APPLES—Were in steady request; sales of 150 bush at 9@9½c.

PEACHES—Sales of 300 bush prime at 17@18c ℔ lb.

BACON—In fact all kinds of hog products are advancing. The rates yesterday were too unsettled to give correct quotations.

PITTSBURGH OIL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL, Saturday, April 9, 1864.

The market yesterday was tolerably active. The sales, however, did not foot up so large as the previous day. The receipts during the past twenty-four hours will reach near ten thousand barrels. About twenty-five hundred barrels will pass through to the East, having been purchased at Oil City for that purpose. Matters on the Allegheny wharf presented quite a lively appearance, and the entire business seemed to be oil—in fact you could see acres of it at one time. The steamers Urilda and Leclair left last evening for the city of oil. The Ida Reese and Cottage No. 2 were due. Among the sales were the following:

Crude.—The market was firm with a fair local demand. Towards the close, however, there was less disposition manifested to operate. Sales, with the packages returned, 575 bbls at 22½c; 167 bbls do 23c; 250 do 23c. Sales of Crude, the packages included, 100 bbls 28c; 150 do 28c; 100 do 28c; 340 do 28c.

Benzole was in better demand. Sales 120 bbls 22c; 165 do 23c; 20 bbls 25c. The latter was a retail transaction.

Refined Oil—Holders are taking matters cooly, and are not at all desirous of parting with the stock. The principal business done was in up River brands; *Free* 52@52½c.

Bonded 44@46c; City brands was held at, *Free* 55@56; bonded 44@46. Sales of 500 bbls up river brands, free, 52½c.

Oil Receipts per Allegheny River.

Ashworth, 740 bbls: J. Gallagher, 130; J. Wilkins, 430; Fisher, Bro. 127; Strickler & Baxter, 197; Burke Spear, & Co. 260; Richardson Harley & Co. 300 H. Rosenburgh, 98; Pennock Ball & Co. 1,000; W. H. Byran, 560; L. Wade, 400; Woods & Wreight, 605; Dalzell & Son, 500; Owners, 600. Making a total of 5964 bbls.

Imports of Oil per Allegheny V. R. R.

Lockhart & Frew, 219 bbls refined, Philadelphia; Sill & Co, 118 bbls refined, Philadelphia.

New York Powder Market.

Gunpowder continues in active demand, and prices have advanced, owing to the rise of Saltpetre, labor, and all other materials that enter into the cost of making Gunpowder. The following are the established prices: Canisters—Electric Gunpowder, in canisters of 1 lb each, 95c; do do in flasks, 60; American Sporting, in canisters of 1 lb each, 70c; do do in flasks, 45c; Duck Shooting, No. 2, Fine, canisters of 1 lb each, 70c; Indian Rifle, canisters of 1 lb each, 55; do do in flasks, 40c; Kentucky Rifle, in canisters of 1 lb each 50 cents; Kentucky Rifle, in ½ lb each, 32 cents; Kentucky Rifle, in flasks, 38c; Fair Lawn Mills, in oval canisters of 1 lbs each, 40c; Fair Lawn Mills, in round canisters of 1 lbs each, 35c. Keg Powder—American Sporting Powder, game size, in brass-hooped kegs, 6¼ lbs, $3 60; Ducking Powder, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 grain, in canisters of 5 lbs, $3 25. Cannon and Musket Powder, U. S. Gov'ment strength—Kentucky Rifle, FFFG, FFG, and Sea-Shooting, FG, in kegs of 25 lbs each, $7 50; do do, in kegs of 12½ lbs each, $3 95; do do, in kegs of 6¼ lbs each, $2 12; do do, in canisters of 5 lbs each, 1 90; Meal Powder, in kegs of 25 lbs each, $7; Deer Powder, do do, $6 50; Fair Lawn Mills, do do, $5 25; Shipping and Mining Powder, net cash, do do, $5 50; Blasting Powder, A, do do, $5 50; do, B, do do, $5; Safety Fuse for Blasting, of superior quality, in packages of 100 feet and over, net cash; Pulverized Saltpetre, chemically pure, for fireworks, &c., in bbls of 100 lbs each.

European Markets.

PER PERSIA.

Petroleum—Boult, English & Branden report: Refined Pennsylvania dull at 1s 9d@1s 9½d. Of Crude, sales have been made at £14 15s ℔ tun. The closing prices are nominally £14@14 5s.

LONDON MARKETS.—Messrs. Baring, Bros. & Co. report: Breadstuffs unchanged, but quotations barely supported. Sugar quiet at about previous rates. Coffee steady and well maintained. Rice unchanged. Tea generally unaltered; uncolored Japan Teas in demand for America, and prices 1d. dearer. Tallow quiet but steady; Y. C., 41s. 9d. Iron quiet; Rails and Bars, £7 10s@7 15; Scotch Pigs, 58s. for cash. Petroleum—Buyers of American Refined at 1s. 10d. Spirits of Turpentine—French steady at 81s. 6d. Linseed favors buyers. Linseed Oil advanced to 37s 6d.

LATEST.

LIVERPOOL, March 26—Evening.—To day has been a complete holiday. No markets except in the Stock Exchange.

The London journals to-day contain nothing important.

LONDON, March 26—Evening.—Consols 91½@92⅛. Illinois Central shares, 18@17 discount; Erie shares, 67½@68¼.

HAVRE COTTON MARKET—HAVRE March 25.—Sales of the week, 12,000 bales. The market opened with a downward tendency, but closed firmer. Prices nominal.

New York Hop Market.

Hops are dull, and the market is very much depressed, especially for mouldy and common grades, which are unsaleable; prime descriptions are scarce and comparatively firm at 25@30c for good to choice, cash, four and six months; sales of 200 bales at 9c for good mouldy hops, and 20@27c for sound common to prime, cash. The advices from England are very unfavorable; out of some 18,000 to 20,000 bales of hops shipped to London this year, some 8,000 bales remained on the market at last accounts without finding purchasers, unless at low rates. Our hops are evidently unsuited to the European market this year, and when we asserted as much in the early part of last August, we only stated a matter of fact, which many in the trade then did not desire to see in print, owing to interested motives.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

Manufactured Tobacco—We quote common to medium (lbs) at 45@60c, black sweet (lbs) at 60@65c and fine at 90c@$1 25 ℔ lb.

Tobacco—Sales of 297 hhds as follows: 9 at $4 25@4 95, 38 at $5@5 90, 18 at $7@7 85, 16 at $8@8 95, 9 at $9@9 80, 10 at $10@10 75, 9 at $11@11 75, 7 at $13@13 50, 15 at $14@14 75, 19 at $15@15 75, 5 at $16@16 50, 7 at $17@17 75, 6 at $18@18 50, 3 at $19@19 25, 3 at $20@20 75, 4 at $21@21 75, 2 at $22, 4 at $23@23 75, 1 at $26 50, 2 at $27, 1 at $77, and 1 hhd stems at $3 20 ℔ 100 lbs. We quote the different grades as follows: Trash at $4 50@5, lugs $5 50@8, medium leaf $9@12, good leaf $15@18, extra $20@30 the 100 lbs.

New York Copper Market.

Refined Ingot has been in good request at slightly enhanced rates; sales 350,000 lbs at 40½@41c for Baltimore; 42½c for Portage, and 42½@43c for Lake Superior—chiefly at our inside rates. New Sheathing Bolts and Braziers are steady at 55c, and Yellow Metal at 30c, six months. Old Sheathing is selling at 39@40c, cash.

PITTSBURGH IRON AND NAIL MARKET.

PITTSBURGH, April 9.

The market during the week was firm. The demand for iron and nails is steadily increasing. Most of our large establishments have sufficient orders on their books to keep them running for some time. There has been no advance as yet, but pig metal is becoming scarce and advancing. There is no telling how soon the rates will go up. Our readers may rest assured they shall be kept fully advised of all movements in regard to this important branch of trade.

FLAT BAR.

	℔ lb
1½ to 6, by ⅜ to 1 inch	6½
2 to 6, by 1 to 1½ inch	6¾
1⅛ to 1⅜, by ⅜ to ¾ inch	6¾

HEAVY BAND IRON.

2 to 6, by ¼ to 3-16 inch	6¾
1½ to 1⅞, by ¼ and 3-16 inch	7
⅞ to 1⅜, by ¼ and 3-16 inch	7¼
½ to ¾, by ¼ and 3-16 inch	7½

HORSE SHOE.

	℔ lb
⅝ to 1, by 5-16 to ⅞ inch	7½

HOOP AND LIGHT BAND.

2¼ to 6 inch	7¼
1¾ and 2	7¾
1¼ and 1½	8
1 and 1⅛	8¼
⅞ inch	9
¾ inch	10
⅝ inch	10½

Hoops cut to specified lengths, ½ cent per pound extra.

ROUND AND SQUARE.

	℔ lb		℔ lb
1 to 2¼ inch	6½	⅝ and 9-16 inch	7
2⅜ to 2¾ inch	6¾	½ and 7-16 inch	7¼
3 to 3½ inch	7	5-16 inch	7½
3¾ to 4 inch	7¼	¼ inch	7¾
⅝, ¾ and ⅞ inch	6¾	3-16 inch	10

OVAL IRON.

	℔ lb		℔ lb
⅞ to 1¼ inch	6¾	⅝ inch	7¼
⅝ and ¾ inch	7	½ inch	7½

HALF OVAL AND HALF ROUND.

	℔ lb		℔ lb
⅞ to 1¼ inch	7	½ inch	7¾
⅝ to ¾ inch	7½	⅜ inch	8
Wagon Box Iron	8½		

SHEET.

No. 10 to 17	8
" 18 to 24	8¼
" 25 and 26	8½
" 27	8¾

PLATES.

3-16, ¼ and 5-16 inch thick	8
Over 30 inches in width, ¼ cent ℔ lb extra.	
Heads	8½
Plow Slabs	7½
" Wings	7¾

FLAT RAILS

Punched and counter sunk.

1½ to 2, by ½ to ⅝ inch	7
1½ by ⅜ and 7-16 inch	7¼
1¼ by ⅜, 7-16 and ½ inch	7½
1¼ by ¼ inch	8

NAIL RODS.

Juniata	11
Norway	7¼

NAILS.

	℔ keg		℔ keg
10d to 60d Nails,		16d	7 63
Fencing & Brads	$6 62½	3d Fine	8 87½
8d and 9d	6 87½	2d do do	9 87½
6d and 7d	7 12½	⅞ in. Lining	10 37½
4d and 5d	7 37½	Clinch	8 12½
3d	7 87½	Cut Spikes	6 87½
Casing Nails.		2d	8 87½
6d	$7 63	Barrel.	
8d	7 38	⅞ inch	9 88
10d	7 13	1 inch	8 88
12d	7 13	1⅛ inch	7
16d	7 13	1¼ inch	7
Finishing.		1½ inch	7
6d	8 13	Tobacco.	
8d	7 88	6d	7 38
10d	7 63	8d	7 13
12d	7 63	10d	6 88

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PITTSBURGH METAL MARKET.

April 9, 1864.

The market for Pig Metal has ruled very firm during the week. Prices have advanced a shade. The stock on the market at present is very limited. In fact, the demand far exceeds the supply, while holders obtain pretty much their own figures.

HANGING ROCK metal was in good request, and sales made during the early part of the week could not be duplicated yesterday at the same figures. We note sales of 200 tuns, in lots to suit purchasers, at—Cold Blast at $70 ℔ tun, cash, and Hot Blast at $65, cash.

ANTHRACITE METALS were scarce. Several hundred tuns were disposed of at the following figures: Anthracite Foundry Metal, $61@62; Grey Forge No. 3, $56@58.

BLOOMS were firm and scarce; sales were reported at $135 ℔ tun.

PITTSBURGH COPPER MARKET.

APRIL 9, 1864.

COPPER.—The market remains very firm, with a good demand for the various descriptions. Our market contains a fair supply. The rates were:

BRAZIERS.—53½@56, cash and time.

INGOTS.—41@43c, cash and time.

COPPER BOTTOMS.—65c; 5 per cent. off for cash.

BRASS KETTLES.—65c; 5 per cent. off for cash.

Pittsburgh Tobacco and Snuff Market.

PITTSBURGH, April 9, 1864.

The market during the week was firm, with a good demand, at the following prices:

SNUFF—Scotch, 55@60c ℔ lb; Copenhagen, 45@50c ℔ lb.

TOBACCO—Navy Pounds, 65@70c ℔ lb; Honey Dew, 90c@$1; Spun Roll, 68@75; Congres 5s and 8s, 65@70c; Diamond Twist, N. N., 85@90c; Five Pounds, 85c@$1.

Manufactured Leaf ranges from 15c to 28c ℔ lb.

New York Dry Goods Market.

PRINTS.

Cohoco	25½	American	21@22
Pamno	25½	Amoskeag	20
Sprague's	22½@23½	Arnolds	18½
Dunnell's	21	Duchess, B	16½
Manchester	21	London Mourning	21
Richmond	22	Philip Allen	20½

GINGHAMS.

Clinton	28	Glasgow	26½
Lancaster	27½	Hampden	25

BROWN SHEETINGS.

Lawrence		40½	Gilboa	4-4	27½
Stark	4-4	40½	Ozark	4-4	40½
Appleton	4-4	40½	Thames River	4-4	23
Medford	4-4	39	Perkins, D	¾	27
Indian Head	¾	32	Globe	¾	32
do do	4-4	40½	Old Dominion	¾	32
Massachusetts	¾	27	Pepperell, E		35
do	4-4	36	do R		32½
Tremont	¾	26	do O		31
do	4-4	30	do N		28½
Cabot, A	4-4	40½	Ind'n Orch'd, C		31
Atlantic, N	¾	21	do do N		32½
do K	4-4	29	do do BB		27½
do A	4-4	40½	do do L		24
Amoskeag	4-4	40½	do do W		26
Laconia	4-4	41	Boat Mills, H		24
Shawmut	4-4	40½	do do O		27½
Amory	4-4	40½	Dwight, I		25
Carrol	4-4	40½	Bates, D		36
Awagon F	4-4	32½	Portsmouth, P		17½

BLEACHED GOODS.

N. York Mills	4-4	43½	Dwight	⅞	37½
Wamsutta	4-4	43	Bay Mills	4-4	37½
Bates	4-4	39	Wauregan	⅞	33
White Rock	4-4	39	do	4-4	40
Lonsdale	4-4	37	Waltham, X		31
Hills Sem Idem	⅞	31½	Aurora	⅞	22½
do do	4-4	35½	do	4-4	26
Bartletts	⅞	32½	Androscoggin	⅞	32
do	4-4	36	do	4-4	38
James Mills	⅞	29	Red Bank	⅞	22
do do	4-4	33	do	4-4	26
Williamsville	4-4	42	Hamilton, Q	¾	20
Dwight	⅞	27½	Portsmouth, P	¾	19

DENIMS.

Amoskeag	60	Otis	45
York	55	Jewett City	37
Manchester	45	Providence	30
Eagle	42½	Falls	30
Oxford	42½		

STRIPED SHIRTINGS.

Amoskeag	50	Whittenton	31½
York	45	Uncasville	37
Jewett City	35	Everett	35½

TICKS.

Amoskeag A.C.A.	72½	York, 32 inch	65
do A	60	Hamilton, Regular	50
do B	55	do D	40
do C	50	Pemberton XL	44½
do D	45	do AA	62½
York, 30 inch	52½	Easton B	27½

CORSET JEANS.

Amoskeag	38½	Indian Orchard	27½
Laconia	38½	Androscoggin	28
Bates	29	Pepperell	38½

BROWN DRILLS.

Amoskeag	42½	Massachusetts	42½
Salmon Falls	42½	Indian Head	42½

LAWNS.

Pacific, 1,200	25	Pacific, 1,400	26

DE LAINES.

Manchester, dark	30	Hamilton, dark	30
Pacific, dark	30		

CARPETS.

Lowell, 3 ply	$1 70	Crosby's Pat Tapestry Brussels	$1 65@1 75
do Super	1 35	New Eng. pat.	1 50@1 60
do Medium	1 25	Empire Mills	85
Hartford, Ex 3 ply	1 80	Belgrade	92½
do Imp 3 ply	1 70	Ingrain	55@75
do Super	1 35		
do Medium	1 25		

Cotton Sales at St. Louis.

The following sales of cotton for account of Government were made on Tuesday, by W. S Stedman & Co., auctioneers:

26 bales	Bemis & Brown	@66½
50 bales	Norval & Bro	@66
50 bales	Baker, Davis & B	@69¼
50 bales	Jos. B. Gary & Co	@69
23 bales	D. A. Clark	@59¼
50 bales	Norval & Bro	@59¼

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Zanesville.

PER JULIAN.—Clarke & Co, 100 bbls flour, 9 hhds bacon, 37 bbls eggs, 1 box leather, 6 packages of household goods; Fetzer & Armstrong, 72 bbls apples, 15 packages of produce; Rea & Keil, 50 bbls flour, 47 sacks corn; Brownsville Boat, 3 Union wheels, 1 step; S H Voigt & Co, 14,475 hoop poles; J C McVay, 115 oil bbls, 23 bbls apples; Ardesco Oil Co, 100 oil bbls; Patterson & Ammon, 116 oil bbls; Lockhart & Frew, 92 do; Hutchison & Co, 52 do; C Orth, 240 do; McBane & Anjer, 222 sacks corn; Fleming & Steele, 95 bbls apples; H Riddle, 14 do; Mr Parr, 11 do, 3 hhds tobacco; Louis Wegle, 8 hhds tobacco, 8 packages sundries; C Reichel 3 hhds tobacco, 3 sacks apples; J Vonderlich, 3,000 staves; Mrs Lightner, 1 bbl eggs, 3 kegs, 1 bbl 1 crock; Capt Gould, 2,793 feet lumber.

RIVER MATTERS.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF STEAMBOATS.

ARRIVED.

Franklin	Carmac	Brownsville.
Gallatin	Clarke	Brownsville.
James Reese	Irwin	Elizabeth.
Minerva	Gordon	Wheeling.

DEPARTED.

Gallatin	Clarke	Brownsville.
Franklin	Carmac	Brownsville.
Jas. Reese	Irwin	Elizabeth.
Major Anderson	Dravo	Cincinnati.
Camelia	Lytle	St. Louis.

THE RIVER.—Last evening at twilight there were scant eleven feet of water in the channel, and falling slowly. The weather during the day was pleasant.

THE steamer Camelia left yesterday for the Upper Mississippi. She had a fine trip.

The steamers Goody Friends, Arcola and Eclipse were to leave Cincinnati for this port on Thursday.

THE fast packet Major Anderson left yesterday for Cincinnati, with one of the best trips of the season.

THE new side wheel steamer, building under the superintendence of Captain B. Johnston, is progressing rapidly. When finished she will rank among the finest boats afloat, and for speed she will report her own arrival.

THE fine St. Louis packet "Argonaut No. 2," Capt. Porter, is announced for St. Louis and the Upper Mississippi, and we take pleasure in recommending her to our friends. The first Clerk is Capt. A. McCarty, a clever and attentive officer.

THE favorite steamer Kate Robinson, Capt. R. Robertson, is announced for Cincinnati this day. This boat has very superior accommodations and is in charge of careful and attentive officers. Mr. John Wherry, who has charge of the office, will be certain to see that passengers are well cared for.

THE fine passenger steamer Colossus, Captain J. Shinkle, leaves this day positively for Cincinnati and Louisville. This boat has fine accommodations, and is in charge of careful and attentive officers. Mr. Henderson, who has charge of the office, will be certain to see that passengers are well cared for.

THE famous packet Major Anderson, Captain C. A. Dravo, is announced for Cincinnati on Thursday. This is one of the finest boats above the Falls, and we take pleasure in recommending her to passengers and shippers. Our old friend, Capt. A. Robinson, will do the honors in the office, with credit to himself and with profit to the owners.

THE magnificent packet, M. S. Mepham, Captain Shaw's beauty, continues to attract a good deal of attention. She is destined to create a sensation. Our St. Louis friends may prepare themselves for a rich treat when she reaches that point. The enterprising owners of this floating palace are sparing no expense. Everything is progressing finely. She will probably leave about the middle of this month.

THE splendid passenger steamer Kenton, Capt. J. H. Dunlap, is announced for St. Louis. This boat, since her arrival in port, has undergone thorough repairs, and many improvements have been introduced that will add materially to the comfort and convenience of passengers. Capt. Dunlap is a clever gentleman. He knows how to fit up a first-class steamer and how to command her afterward. The first clerk is Capt. Hemphill, as clever an officer as can be found in a day's journey.

CINCINNATI.

The Leonidas, from Pittsburgh; Ohio No. 3, from Marietta; Marmora, Nightingale, Leni Leoti, pnd Emperor, from Nashville, include the arrivals, outside of the local packets.

The Leonidas came in with 700 tuns. She discharged 150 tuns here, and after replenishing her stores, left for St. Louis. She has over one hundred cabin passengers.

The Ohio No. 3 was full of freight and passengers.

The Emperor brought 99 hhds tobacco, 4 tuns hides, and 400 refugees—one hundred for Cincinnati.

The Nightingale brought 40 tuns railroad iron, 63 bales cotton, and 468 blooms.

The Leni Leoti, for Pittsburgh; Charmer, for Louisville; Leonidas, for St. Louis; Dady, for White river, and Brilliant, for New Orleans, comprise the departures.

The Leni Leoti has a full cargo, including 313 bales of cotton.

—Com. G. Wash Graham and Capt. Job Lawrence are in the city, for the purpose of purchasing several light-draught steamers.

A number of tow boats, with coal, arrived yesterday. Several pairs of "broad-horns" also floated by the city for the Southern markets.

The Rover arrived from Pittsburgh yesterday with four barges in tow, containing eleven hundred tons of Government railroad iron for Reynoldsburg, on the Tennessee river.

Alf Williamson and Leander Patterson are the pilots on the Leonidas.

Capt J. W. Stewart has purchased from parties in Portsmouth the propeller Clipper, for $7,000. She leaves for St. Louis and Fulton City to-day, with a cargo of iron.

VINCENNES, April 4—Wabash River is now nearly destitute of steamers, and all save one have sought the promising field of the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers. The Patrick Henry, Capt. Collins, commanding, with 3,000 bags of corn for Evansville, went South, some time since, and undoubtedly will make the Tennessee and Cumberland her stamping ground.

The steamer Hurschmidt, owned by J. N. Morton, of this city, arrived here yesterday from Zunkashaw Bend, where she was sunk over two weeks since by being overloaded. Her cargo was fully insured, as was also the boat. She was loaded with Government corn, and sunk in twenty feet water. An insurance agent from Cincinnati superintended the raising process. She will be thoroughly renovated, and after leaving the artistic hand of our townsman, Tom Pulling, she can lay claim to being just off the stocks. New guards, more boiler, less cabin, and a new coat of paint, are among the designed improvements.

Weather warm and cloudy, with indications of an approaching rain.

The Damsel, from Pittsburgh, and Arcola from Louisville, were the only arrivals outside of the daily packets—all with fair trips.

The Goody Friends and Arcola left for Pittsburgh.

Captain Jesse Y. Hurd's new mammoth, and magnificent New Orleans packet Missouri made a trial trip yesterday afternoon performing highly satisfactory, making the run from Litherbury's yard to the mouth of the little Miami—seven miles—in thirty-two minutes. Returning she came from California to the foot of Broadway in twenty-seven minutes. There was over one hundred guests on board, the steamboat, insurance, mercantile, and shipping interests being largely and ably represented.

The Aurora reshipped 75 tuns for Pittsburgh on the Arcola. The Starlight reshipped her Nashville freight on the Aurora, and is leading for Pittsburgh. The Norman has 50 Government horses for Louisville.

Capt. Wm. Riggs contemplates introducing the Mason in the Maysville trade next week.

Capt. T. Rogers has purchased the commanding interest in the Nevada.

EVANSVILLE, April 4.—EDS. COM.: Virginia arrived here to day at 11 a. m. At 3 a. m. shortly after leaving Cannelton, one of our deck hands, named Arthur O'Neal, fell overboard, and we fear, was drowned. We did all we could to find him, without success. Heavy rain last night.

SEDAM.

JEFFERSONVILLE, April 7, P. M.—*Eds. Com.:* There is seven feet eight inches in the Steamboat Pass over the Falls, and falling slowly. The Jacob Strader ascended the Falls to-day.

D. M. DRYDEN, Falls Pilot.

CAIRO.

Dates from Memphis are from the evening of the 5th. No news of importance.

I learn from officers of river steamers, that the steamer Joseph Pearce, while passing the mouth of White river last week, was fired into from shore, and one soldier, name not learned, so severely wounded that he has since died.

The U. S. dispatch boat New Natt came up today from Red river, having left Alexandria about the 20th, having in tow two barges containing 1,600 bales of cotton. U. S. Marshal D. L. Philips was here to receive it. The cotton is considered a naval prize, and at present prices will bring not far from $400,000.

LOUISVILLE.

There was a rumor among the steamboatmen yesterday, that the old Liberty had been sold to parties at Vicksburg.

Capt. Davidson, one of the owners of the Liberty, who was reported dead, is recruiting in health.

It was stated to us as a rumor that $45,000 offered for the steamer Tempest, now lying at the wharf, was refused.

Captain Pegram's new boat, the New Ruth, dropped down to the city wharf from Howard's ship yard. She is lying at the foot of Fifth st., where she will be finished.

The ferryboat Ben. South, used as a ferry between Portland and New Albany, was yesterday evening engaged in towing coal over the Falls.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Pittsburgh, Ft. W. and Chicago R. R.—Bryce, Richards & Co, 250 pigs lead; J Wood, 1 hhd, 1 bbl scrap iron; E H Meyers, 21 tcs hams; J S Liggett & Co, 152 sks wheat; J W Taylor, 22 bxs tobacco, 1 hhd do; Douglass & Co, 2 cars lumber; Black & Heilbruner, 50 bbls shorts; Schomaker & Lang, 44 tcs hams; Warring & King, 8 bbls glue; A N Lee, 100 bbls flour; McDonald & Arbuckle, 30 doz buckets, 12 do tubs, J Painter, 10 doz wash boards; J M Perkins, 33 bdls paper; Beckam & Long, 5 mowers; A Holstein, 77 green hides; Atwell, Lee & Co, 13 boxes ink; William Waltz, two sacks rags S B Floyd, 145 sks oats; J White, 28 sks potatoes; D Walton, 129 sks wheat, 185 do oats, 185 do barley, J A Caughey, 17 bbls oil; J Rhodes, 188 bgs barley, 66 do oats; D Wallace, 141 bgs corn; R H K Whiteley, 200 bbls powder; Graff, Bennett & Co, lot scrap iron; Culp & Shepherd, 100 bbls flour; Hailman & Rahm, 60 bars steel; Kier, Glover & Co, 1 car fire clay; McKee & Bro, 4 csks pearls, W McCully, 4 bxs w glass, 8 do glassware; Subsistence Com, 60 bgs potatoes; Beckham & Long, 29 sks do, 1 bdl grape vines; Potter, Aiken & Shepherd, 1½ bbls eggs, 1 bx skins; H Hahn, 2 bxs bacon, 1 bbl onions; F Van Gorder, 24 bbls apples; J W Woodwell, 1 mirror; J H Ralston, 17 g hides; J Renshaw, 3 bbls flour; Park, McCurdy & Co, 1 bdl copper and brass; Means & Coffin, 20 bxs candles; McClurkan, Herron & Co, 26 bxs soap; Lambert & Shipton, 10 bxs soap; W Gormley, 20 do.

Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.—S B Floyd, 174 sacks corn; John Mullen, 1 car scrap iron; Culp & Shepherd, 123 bbls potatoes, 7 do apples; J K Thompson, 120 bbls potatoes; J McDevitt, 10 half bbls fish; W Cooper, 30 do: S Cooper, 20 do; Watt & Wilson, 50 do; Armstrong 14 bbls eggs; M Angel, 1 bbl cider; H M'Swiggen 1 box do, 1 bbl molasses; Taylor & Co, 11 sacks wool; Schultz, Son & Co, 6 bbls beans, 2 do tallow; Simpson & Knox, 363 bags corn; J Knox, 25 step ladders; Hartman & Bro, 100 bbls flour; Howard & Co, 38 bags rags; T Van Gorder 10 bbls eggs, 3 bbls apples; H McChesney, 1 car corn; Simpson & Knox, 171 bags corn; Elliott & Co, 4 bbls eggs.

Per Allegheny Valley Railroad.—Martin, Oliver & Brickell, 2 cars iron; Graff & McKee, 53 bbls oil; Forsyth & Bro, 16 do; J Donally, 42 bus potatoes; J Hobbs, 27 do; Geo Leslie, 20 do; Jas Hawkins, 11 hides, 6 bbls eggs, 1 box butter, 1 bag beans; J Kinninmith, 8 boxes eggs and butter, 1 lot hides.

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Persons going by this Line are certain to get to the Mines with their goods early and without delay, as the very light draught stern wheel steamer Benton, built expressly for low water, will remain above Fort Union, (the mouth of the Yellow Stone,) during the season, and take the freight of the Welcome and Florence should it be necessary on account of low water. Each boat will be officered and manned by skillful and experienced boatmen, some of whom have explored the Upper Missouri in Mackinaw boats, and are thoroughly acquainted with its navigation.

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THROUGH ACCOMMODATION TRAIN daily, (except Sunday) at 5:50 a. m., stopping at all stations between Pittsburgh and Philadelphia.

FAST MAIL every morning, (except Sunday) at 2:50 a. m., stopping only at the principal Stations, and making direct connections at Harrisburg for Baltimore and Washington; and for New York via Philadelphia.

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FAST LINE daily, (except Sunday) at 8:35 p. m., stopping only at principal stations, and connecting at Harrisburg for Baltimore and Washington, and for New York via Allentown, without change of cars; also, at Philadelphia for New York.

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The THIRD ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for WALL'S STATION leaves DAILY, (except Sunday) at 3:50 p. m.

The FOURTH ACCOMMODATION TRAIN for WALL'S STATION leaves DAILY, (except Sunday) at 6:00 p. m.

The CHURCH TRAIN leaves Wall's Station EVERY SUNDAY at 9:05 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburg at 12:45 p. m.

Returning Trains Arrive in Pittsburg as follows:

Baltimore Express	12:50 p. m.
Philadelphia Express	1:20 p. m.
Fast Line	1:30 a. m.
Through Mail Train	1:00 a. m.
Johnstown Accommodation	10:05 a. m.
1st Wall's Station Accommodation	6:25 a. m.
2d Wall's Station Accommodation	8:35 a. m.
3d Wall's Station Accommodation	1:55 p. m.
4th Wall's Station Accommodation	6:05 p. m.

Baltimore Express will arrive with Philadelphia Express at 1:20 p. m. on Mondays.

Trains for Blairsville and Indiana connect at Blairsville Intersection with Through Accommodation, Johnstown Accommodation, and Express Train East, and with Baltimore Express and Johnstown Accommodation West.

Trains for Ebensburg connect at Cresson with Express Trains and Mail Train West, and with Through Accommodation and Express Train East.

FARE:

To New York	$12:80	To Lancaster	$8:80
To Philadelphia	10:50	To Harrisburg	7:65
To Baltimore	$10:00	To Altoona	3:06

Baggage checked to all stations on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and to Philadelphia, Baltimore and New York.

Passengers purchasing tickets in the cars will be charged an excess, according to the distance traveled, in addition to the Station rates; except from the stations where the Company have no agents.

NOTICE.—In case of loss the Company will hold themselves responsible for personal baggage only, and for an amount not exceeding $100.

N. B.—An Omnibus Line has been employed to convey Passengers and Baggage to and from the Depot, at a charge not to exceed 25 cents for each Passenger and Baggage.

For Tickets apply to J. STEWART, Agent, at the Penna. RR. Passenger Station, on LIBERTY and GRANT Streets. ja7

1864 THE PITTSBURGH, 1864

FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY,

AND

Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1st, 1864, trains run as follows, viz:—

Leave Pittsb'g.	For Chi'go.	For Clev'd.	For Wheel'g
Express	1:45 a. m.	1:45 a. m.	1:45 a. m.
Express	1:45 p. m.	1:45 p. m.	1:45 p. m.
Mail	6:30 a. m.		6:15 a. m.

RETURNING:

Arrive Pittsburgh,
P. F. W. & C. R'y...2:20 a. m., 3:30 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 7:50 p. m.
C. & P. R. R...2:10 a. m., 3:50 p. m., 8:05 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION TRAINS.

Leave Allegheny For Alliance.	For N. B.	For N. C.	For Steu'e.
2:15 p. m.	1:15 a. m.	6:40 a. m.	
	12:00 m.	3:00 p. m.	3:00 p. m.
	4:30 p. m.		
	5:40 p. m.		

RETURNING.

Arrive Allegheny,
P. F. W. & C. R'y...7:20 a. m., 8:40 a. m., 2:35 p. m., 4:50 p. m.
C. & P. R. R...10:00 a. m.

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WASHINGTON CITY.

Connections made with trains on Pennsylvania Railroad, to and from Pittsburgh and the West.

TWO TRAINS DAILY to and from the North and West Branch Susquehanna, Elmira, and all of Northern New York.

On and after MONDAY, Nov. 16th, 1863, the Passenger Trains of the Northern Central Railway will arrive at and depart from Harrisburg and Baltimore as follows, viz:

SOUTHWARD.

MAIL TRAIN	leaves Sunbury daily (except Sunday)	10.10 A. M.
"	leaves Harrisburg	1.20 P. M.
"	arrives at Baltimore	5.40 P. M.
EXPRESS TRAIN	leaves Sunbury daily (except Sunday)	11.42 P. M.
"	leaves Harrisburg (except Monday)	2.50 A. M.
"	arrives at Baltimore daily (except Monday)	7.00 A. M
HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION	leaves Harrisburg	7.00 A. M.

NORTHWARD.

MAIL TRAIN	leaves Baltimore daily (except Sunday)	9.20 A. M.
"	leaves Harrisburg	1.45 P. M.
"	arrives at Sunbury	4.30 P. M.
EXPRESS TRAIN	leaves Baltimore daily	9.15 P. M.
"	arrives at Harrisburg	1.35 A. M.
"	leaves Harrisburg daily (except Monday)	3.25 A. M.
"	arrives at Sunbury	6.25 A. M.
HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION	leaves Baltimore daily (except Sunday)	3.00 P. M.
"	arrives at Harrisburg	7.50 P. M.

For further information apply at the Office, in Pennsylvania Railroad Depot.
oc31 J. N. DuBARRY, *Gen. Supt.*

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

On and after Saturday, August 15th, 1863, Trains will leave the Depot, corner of Ross and Water Streets, as follows:

	Leaves Pittsburgh.	Arrives at Pittsburgh.
Mail, to and from U'ntown:	7:55 a. m.	6:00 p. m.
Express do do	3:00 p. m.	10:00 a. m.
1st M'Keesport Acc'd'n do	11:00 a. m.	7:00 p. m.
3d do do	6:15 p. m.	2:05 p. m.
1st Port Perry do	7:00 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
Braddock's do	4:15 p. m.	5:40 p. m.
Sunday Church Train to and from M'Keesport:	1:00 p. m.	10:00 a. m.

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TIME OF PASSENGER TRAINS AT HARRISBURG.

Leave Northward.

Mail Train	1.45 P. M.
Express Train	3.25 A. M.

Cars run through without change both ways on these trains between Philadelphia and Lock Haven, and between Baltimore and Lock Haven.

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For information respecting Passenger business, apply at the Southeast corner Eleventh and Market streets.

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